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THERE ARE MANY, many things the people of the Plains country should be thankful for this beautiful month of November, 1917. The winter is always mixed with the sweet, and therefore we should not complain of the fact that things are beginning to get "dry" hereabouts; for has not the Weather Man compensated for it with the most magnificent Fall and Winter that the mind of man can conceive of; and is he not today (Tuesday) promising us moisture?

And the crops we enjoyed this year! Didn't the country over look "Good" with stacked feed in every direction, as far as the eye could reach? And cattle and hog prices—what! no complaint there, surely.

And our little city, how it has grown and expanded, with fourteen blocks of paving, a White Way ordered and circute, strings of sidewalks going in, better water facilities.

And we over-subscribed our prorata of Liberty bonds; have set the pace for our neighbors in Red Cross work; were asked for \$900 for Army Y. M. C. A. and gave nearly \$2,000.00.

And just think of the way our grand women have rallied to the flag, in aid of our loyal men. Can you beat it?

Taken all in all, in spite of Grim War in the back ground, high price of living, uncertainty for the future, we have prospered, and grown materially and spiritually. The man who cannot be thankful under all these circumstances ought to see a physician about his liver, and a psychologist about his disposition.

CITY CLERK CROUCH MOURNS HIS MOTHER

City Clerk, J. E. Crouch, received the sad message Monday night telling of the death of his mother, Mrs. W. L. Crouch, at Saluda, South Carolina. The message stated that Mrs. Crouch died Monday afternoon. Mr. Crouch

stated that owing to the great distance to Saluda he would not be able to attend the funeral.

DISTRICT COURT

The following cases have been disposed of since our last report:
C. E. Hill vs. E. M. Duke et al. Judgment rendered for the plaintiff.

XMAS PACKAGES FOR SOLDIERS

The local Red Cross Chapter has received the following letter from Headquarters regarding Christmas packages for the soldiers:

Christmas is coming and we must have some little remembrance for each of our soldiers and sailors. Please announce that you will accept Christmas packages or money for their purchase.

The Southwestern Division is asked to provide 150,000 Christmas packages. This averages about 200 packages per Chapter. Send us as many as you can exceeding this average where possible, because some of the smaller Chapters won't be able to send as many as 200. If you are not in position to get up these packages yourself to advantage, our Division Bureau of Supplies will provide as many packages as you will send us money for at \$1.50 each. All packages, whether purchased from us in this way or prepared by you, should contain a card giving the name and address of the Chapter and also, the name and address of the individual donor, if the donor so desires. We will furnish you a supply of these cards (no charge) upon request.

Many Chapters are already at work and some of these packages are already on their way abroad. Most of the packages received from now on, will be sent to our soldiers and sailors in this country. In no case should packages be sent to any particular camp or regiment, nor can the Bureau of Supplies undertake to deliver to any specific destination. Use wooden boxes, not cartons—they break too easily. Mark boxes distinctly "Christmas packages."

In order that the men may be equally remembered and yet that there may be a pleasing variety in the packages, the following suggestions are made for preparing and assembling the Christmas parcels:

1. Nothing should go in them which will not keep fresh from the time of packing until Christmas.

2. Dried fruits and other food products should be packed in small tin or wooden boxes, one-quarter to one-half pound size.

3. Hard candy, including chocolate, would probably be safe in tin foil or heavy cardboard, but no soft chocolates nor anything that could possibly be crushed should be used, as the remaining contents of the package might be spoiled thereby.

4. Several dainties packed in oblong tin boxes holding each a quarter of a pound, will provide a better variety for a package than a larger quantity of a single confection.

5. No liquids nor articles packed in glass should be placed in the package.

6. For wrapping the gifts use a khaki-colored handkerchief, twenty-seven inches square, and form the base of the packet by placing on the center of the handkerchief a pad of writing paper about seven by ten inches.

7. Select a variety of articles either from the suggested list (or according to individual wishes) to an amount not exceeding \$1.50, and arrange them on the pad of paper so that the entire package shall be the width of the pad and approximately five or six inches high.

8. Wrap the tie with one-inch red ribbon and place a Christmas card under the bow of ribbon. A card bearing the greetings of the Chapter would be desirable.

9. Wrap the parcel again in heavy, light-brown Manila paper, tie securely with red, green, or gilt cord, and use Christmas labels or American flags as desired.

LIST OF ARTICLES SUGGESTED FOR CHRISTMAS PACKETS:

- Khaki-colored handkerchief, twenty-seven inches square, for container
- Writing paper pad, about 7 by 10 inches
- Envelopes
- Pencil
- Postals
- Books (in paper cover)
- Scrapbook, home-made, containing a good short story, some jokes, etc.
- Knife—such as boy scouts use
- Mirror—steel
- Handkerchiefs, khaki-colored
- Neckties
- Mouth organ
- Electric torch
- Compass
- Playing cards
- Mechanical puzzles (an assorted lot of twelve small mechanical puzzles can be bought at the rate of twelve for \$50.)
- Red Cross Checkerboard (this is a combination set of checkerboard, checkers, chessmen, and dominoes, made of heavy cardboard especially for the Red Cross and can be purchased after October 15th for 5c each)
- Other games
- Tobacco
- Pipe and pipe cleaners
- Cigarette papers
- Water-tight match box
- Chewing gum
- Fruited, chocolate, and other sweetened crackers, in original packages
- Fruit cake
- Preserved ginger
- Salted nuts
- Prunes
- Figs
- Dates
- Raisins
- Hard candy
- Chocolate in tin foil
- Licorice

The articles which are marked with an asterisk in the above list will be purchased by the Red Cross Supply Bureau and can be bought from Chapters by the time Chapters are ready to pack the parcels.

VALUABLE TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS

Comparatively few people realize the value of the topographic maps which are being published by the Government. There is no State some of whose area has not been covered by these topographic surveys, the results of which convey more useful information of their areas than any other maps. They portray accurately the physical features of the country, the hills and mountains, valleys and slopes, streams and swamps, as well as every work of man, such as railroads, wagon roads, bridges, and houses and other buildings. A single feature of the map which makes it well worth having is that it shows the altitude or elevation of every point in the area; it is a detailed dictionary of altitudes.

The maps are printed in three colors, black being used to indicate contours, roads, names of towns—the human features of the map—blue to indicate the streams and lakes and other water features, and brown to indicate the valleys and hills, whose elevations are shown by means of contour lines. Some of the maps are printed with a fourth color, green, which is used to show woodlands. The topographic map is in fact an accurate relief model of the area mapped.

The maps are in increasing demand not only by engineers, for whom they constitute base maps of the greatest value in planning all construction work, but by automobilists, hikers, and farmers whose homes are included in the areas. The Geological Survey, Interior Department, has already published 2,500 topographic maps, covering more than 40 per cent of the United States. About 20,000 square miles of new country is surveyed annually, resulting in the publication of approximately 100 new maps a year.

It is just as important to prevent waste of food by careless preparation, burning, or improper cooking as it is to avoid waste of food after it is cooked.

It is necessary to select the proper kind of food for your particular circumstances; it is also important to prepare or serve only so much of each kind as will be eaten.

FARMS FOR SALE

- 160 Acres, smooth, shallow water land, 11-2 miles out. Some improvements. Easy terms.
- 320 acres improved, 35 miles north-west. \$17.50 per acre, 1-2 cash, balance 1 to 5 years 6 per cent; and 3 1-2 leased sections. Two of these sections are leased for three years.
- Fine smooth section, 17-miles northwest. \$16.00 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance 1 to 5 years, 6 per cent.

E. F. CONNELL Hereford, Texas

Satisfaction

There is a satisfying pleasure every housewife feels in preparing a meal from good, wholesome materials.

Makeshift foods are unsatisfactory as well as unwholesome.

OUR GROCERIES SATISFY

You feel fresh and vigorous after eating meal prepared from our stock.



And it costs no more than the "other" kind. Why not eat well when it costs no more?

W. L. Sullivan Grocery

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Furnished by Potts & Jones

W. O'Brien & B. S. Arnold to John McDermott and C. W. Murray, 800 A. Capitol League No. 408 1-2; \$3500.00.
National Bank of Commerce, Antonio, to A. M. Jones, J. Frank Potts and J. W. Spradley, 840 A. Capitol League, No. 426 and 427; \$7000.00.
Jim Carter and wife, Mable Carter, to J. A. McIntosh, W. L. McIntosh and H. F. McIntosh, blk. E. School "The No. 4722, 630 A.; \$6230.00.
John J. Clark and wife, Matel Clark, to R. L. Elliston, s. e. 1-4 sec. 42, blk. K-3, 160 A.; \$4200.00.
Roy Guffer and wife, Mary Guffer, to A. M. Jones and J. Frank Potts, s. w. 1-4 sec. No. 86, blk. K-4, 160 A.; \$1800.00.
F. W. Lambert and wife, Mrs. F. W. Lambert, to A. D. Godwin, s. e. 1-4 lot No. 3, blk. No. 2, Womble addition; \$2800.00.
Tom H. Spencer, Geo. Spencer and John L. Spencer to O. B. Jackson and H. M. Jackson, sec. 25 in blk. K-6; \$8000.00.
D. L. McDonald to L. Baskin, east 1-2 of survey No. 22, 22 blk. No. 17, 320 A.; \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.
J. B. Jones and wife, Minnie B. Jones to D. H. Stone, 32 1-4 A. off south side sec. in Capitol League No. 3, 301-12 and 408 1-2; \$100.00.
S. B. Edwards to H. B. Stephens, sec. No. 19, twp. No. 41, range No. 4, east of Capitol Syndicate; \$2200.00.
S. B. Edwards and wife, Effie N. Edwards to W. B. Arnold, sec. No. 6, twp. No. 5, north of range No. 2, E. Capitol Syndicate; \$3700.00.
S. B. Edwards and wife, Effie M. Edwards to W. B. Arnold, 320 A. out

of Capitol League No. 403 and 404; \$1500.00.
S. B. Edwards and wife, Effie M. Edwards, to W. B. Arnold, 640 A. out of Capitol League No. 403 and 414; \$3000.00.
J. Odus Turner and wife, Kate Turner, to Roy K. Bruner, all of sec. No. 60 in blk. K-5; \$5300.00.
C. E. Allison to C. J. Allison, sec. 1-1 sec. 12, blk. 3; \$10.00.
C. R. Wulser, to R. D. Lance, w. 1-2 sec. 7, blk. B.; \$4480.00.
L. L. Jones and wife, to W. E. Hicks, sec. 5, twp. 3, range 4; \$5081.25.
Fred J. Randall, H. P. Canode, sw. 1-4, 41-K 7; \$1300.00.
T. M. Farmer, and wife to Mrs. Metta Sowers, lots 5 and 6, blk. 44; \$750.00.
S. J. Williams and wife to Crawford Green, part blk. 4 Mabry addition; \$25.00.
Lula Smith to J. C. Baker, lots 7 and 8, blk. 89 Whitehead addition; \$900.00.
R. O. Sears and wife to J. H. Kemp, lots 13 to 16, Miller & Shores subdivision, blk. 29, Evans addition; \$2200.
Lee Jones and wife to J. B. Elliston, lots 9 and 10, blk. 17, Whitehead addition; \$800.00.
Aaron K. Sargent, J. D. Tompkins, nw. 1-4 21 blk. 7; \$1920.00.
Sarah E. Collins to S. G. Moore, w. 1-2 of sw. 1-4 67 K 8; \$800.00.
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Sarah E. Collins to S. G. Moore w. 1-2 nw. 1-4 68 K 8; \$800.00.
Charles A. Fisk to Geo. H. Hutchins sec. 16 B 5; \$9600.00.
Geo. H. Hutchins to E. P. Benson; sec. 16 B 5; \$10,240.00.

Read our STATEMENT in this issue of The Brand, showing INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS of :

\$661,853.11

"THERE'S A REASON"

THE FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY

OF HERFORD

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE The Western National Bank

at Hereford, in the state of Texas, at the close of business on November 30, 1917

RESOURCES		
1. Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	\$401,231.34	
2. U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds of 1917)	20,000.00	\$381,231.34
3. U. S. bonds deposited to secure U. S. deposits	20,000.00	
4. U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	10,000.00	
5. Total U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds) and certificates of indebtedness	60,000.00	
6. Liberty Loan Bonds, unpledged, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent	1,500.00	1,500.00
7. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	3,000.00	3,000.00
8. Value of banking house	4,800.00	4,800.00
9. Equity in banking house	4,800.00	4,800.00
10. Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00	2,000.00
11. Real estate owned other than banking house	20,121.17	20,121.17
12. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		
13. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	27,914.91	27,914.91
14. Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15	686.91	686.91
15. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	1,373.28	1,373.28
16. Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	20,885.13	20,885.13
17. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	9,758.00	9,758.00
18. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00	2,500.00
Total	\$514,595.64	\$514,595.64
LIABILITIES		
19. Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
20. Surplus fund	50,000.00	50,000.00
21. Undivided profits, net	30,089.40	30,089.40
22. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	5,711.95	5,711.95
23. Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate)	6,000.00	6,000.00
24. Amount reserved for taxes accrued	1,896.64	1,896.64
25. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00	50,000.00
26. Individual deposits subject to check	211,927.00	211,927.00
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	28,965.07	28,965.07
28. Cashier's checks outstanding	18,774.32	18,774.32
29. Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40	236,767.39	236,767.39
30. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	36,021.46	36,021.46
31. Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 41, 42, 43, and 44	36,021.46	36,021.46
32. United States deposits (other than postal savings) - a War loan deposit account	39,553.00	39,553.00
Total	\$514,595.64	\$514,595.64
33. Liabilities for rediscunts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 14)	20,000.00	20,000.00
34. Total contingent liabilities (50 a, b, and c)	20,000.00	20,000.00

State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith, ss:
I, C. C. Chenoweth, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. C. CHENOWETH, Cashier.
M. B. McLean, Notary Public.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1917.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
G. A. F. Parker,
Roscoe Davidson,
M. L. Parker,
Directors.

First State Bank & Trust Co.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the
First State Bank & Trust Co.
of Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of November, 1917, published in the Herford Brand, a newspaper printed and published at Hereford, State of Texas, on the 30th day of November, 1917.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$396,352.50	
Loans, real estate	500.00	
Bonds and Stocks	10,000.00	
Real estate (banking house)	5,000.00	
Furniture and Fixtures	1,300.00	
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	202,306.34	
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	94,308.88	
Cash Items	3,316.31	
Currency	29,248.00	
Specie	3,948.16	
Interest Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,200.44	
Total	\$753,440.46	\$753,440.46
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	25,000.00	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	14,908.66	14,908.66
Individual Deposits, subject to check	554,103.79	554,103.79
Time Certificates of Deposit	94,306.11	94,306.11
Cashier's Checks	12,430.90	12,430.90
Reserve for Taxes	1,828.70	1,828.70
Total	\$753,440.46	\$753,440.46

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Deaf Smith,
We, A. Herbst, as Vice-President, and A. P. Murchison, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
A. HERBST, Vice-Pres.
A. P. MURCHISON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of November, A. D. 1917.
GLADYS REEDLE,
Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
C. B. Wilkinson,
J. T. Wilkinson,
D. F. Ashbrook,
Directors.

Castro Co. Land 40 Miles Inland \$70.50 Per Acre

What is considered an exceptionally good price for raw land miles from the railroad was that paid for a half section in Castro county this week. This land sold for \$16.50 per acre. A big cash payment was made and the balance was in Vendor's Lien notes. The land is situated below Spring Lake, is 40 miles from the railroad, and was purchased by a Nebraska man.

The birds have all been scored according to the American Standard of Perfection. The card will not be tabulated until some time after Dec. 1st. When all birds will be weighed.

The birds will also be scored for egg production, a score card for this purpose having just been worked out. The exact amount and proportion of feed fed in this contest will probably be given in the next report.

If possible, we hope to secure skim milk for the contest birds, because we realize its value as an egg-producer. Thus far we have not been able to secure it.

It will also be interesting to state that this contest is backed by the Texas Poultry Raisers Association. Every poultry breeder or farmer is invited to become a member of this association. Some of the eggs produced are falling below the standard weight. However, this is to be expected at this time of the year from pullets.

These monthly reports will prove much more interesting after we can give the records. Those who have not already done so, and are interested are requested to fill out the blank below and mail to F. W. Kazmeier, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.

Yours very truly,
F. W. KAZMEIER.
(BLANK TO BE FILLED OUT)
I desire the monthly reports of the first Texas National Egg Laying Contest, sent to me.
Name _____
Address _____

One of the reasons why all such land should be plowed in the fall and harrowed from time to time is that it is certainly the only method by which the bud worm may be held in control. As the fall season approaches this worm burrows into the ground to a point about three or four inches under the surface and leaving a nicely finished hole from which the moth may emerge in the spring, proceeds to undergo the change which will result in the appearance of the moth to lay eggs which will produce next year's supply of worms. Turn these worms to the surface in the fall and the birds will get many of them ere spring, more will die from cold and exposure to winter weather. The destruction of these worms now will mean that the number to appear next year will be reduced by hundreds for every one destroyed.

CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

DIMMITT NEWS ITEMS
At a very enthusiastic meeting of the Red Cross of Dimmitt, Monday evening, it was decided to make the Castro County organization a Branch of the Herford Chapter instead of an Auxiliary as was formerly intended. Up to the present writing, the membership committee, consisting of Miss Bonnie McPherson, Clarence Shepherd, and E. B. McDonald, report 175 members. A permanent subscription list was begun, and we hope to raise \$125 per month in this way. The Executive Committee consists of Mr. Cowser, C. J. Stanley, E. B. McDonald, Moslemes Gower, Green, Clifton, Alexander.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Hereford, visited the Dimmitt society Sunday afternoon, and a joint meeting was held. A very interesting program was rendered, the subject being "The Live Endevour". The violin solo by Mr. Glen Boardman, and the reading by Miss Lee were especially enjoyed.

Miss Francis Storrs, the so-called "Hetty Green" of the Panhandle, is in Dimmitt this week looking after business in this county. Miss Storrs owns four sections of land in Castro and is very sanguine concerning the future of this country. She plans to install several irrigation plants on her holdings in the near future. She leaves Sunday for her home at McAllister, Okla.

MARRIED - At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Phipps, at Springlake, Sunday, Nov. 25, Charlie Jones and Miss Lorraine Phipps. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Taylor of Muleshoe. The bride is one of Dimmitt's most popular young ladies, while Mr. Jones, tho' a new comer here, has proved himself to be a dependable young man. Mr. Jones owns a section of land south of Dimmitt and will improve it at once. We wish the happy couple a long and prosperous life.

Quite a number of Dimmitt young people attended the "Conundrum Supper at Spring Lake, Friday night. Among the number were Misses Velma and Esale Gillespie, Dora, Katie and Clara Turner, Minnie and Vera Johnson, Messrs. Bill Hudnall, Dixon Turner, Bryan McDonald, Jesse Ely, Worth Clifton, Jay Hastings, Oscar Hyatt, Glenn Smith, R. T. Green. All report a delightful entertainment.

The ladies of the Red Cross at this place, are working regular Thursday and Saturday. The Red Aid has been disbanded and their work from now until the close of the year will also be for the benefit of the Red Cross. All ladies of the County are cordially invited and urged to help.

Mr. J. H. Flanagan has sold the Dimmitt Garage to a party in Littlefield who will take charge of same. Mr. Flanagan has given most excellent service since taking over this business.

Messrs. W. W. and J. M. Higgins of Cincinnati, Ohio, were prospecting in Castro County this week.

Misses Daisy Womack and Anna Mueller of the east part of the county were shopping in Dimmitt Monday.

Messrs. E. S. Ireland, C. F. Kerr, J. R. Hastings, E. B. McDonald, and Gene Hastings, were in Hereford Sunday to hear the address made by Hon. Marvin Jones.

Mrs. Harvey Cash is ill this week with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Turner are in Dallas this week attending the Baptist Convention there.

Mrs. G. A. James left Friday for Kaufman County for the bedside of a sister who is reported very low.

Misses Katie and Dora Turner, Messrs. Claud Johnson and Frank Hyatt spent Sunday with friends at Clifton, N. M.

Mr. Tom Tate returned Monday from San Angelo where his wife has spent some time, having gone there to undergo a serious operation. He reports Mrs. Tate improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith were in Hereford, Saturday.

Miss Gertie Lovelace of the Ace community, spent the week in Dimmitt.

TICK ERADICATION PAID
In the 16 Alabama counties which eradicated cattle ticks last year the average cost to the county was \$8,052.34. The cattle in these counties were increased in value thereby \$10 per head. There was an average of 19,004 cattle in these counties. Therefore the average increased value was \$196,940 to each county. An average expenditure of \$9,052.30 paid back \$196,940. For every dollar expended by the county \$24 was realized.

Hot weather is favorable to hog cholera; watch your hogs closely during the summer months.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE The First National Bank

at Hereford, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on November 30, 1917

RESOURCES		
1. Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c)	\$179,100.97	\$179,100.97
2. U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds of 1917)	50,000.00	50,000.00
3. Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent, owned, unpledged	2,500.00	2,500.00
4. Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	4,200.00	4,200.00
5. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	1,500.00	1,500.00
6. Value of banking house	4,100.00	4,100.00
7. Equity in banking house	4,100.00	4,100.00
8. Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00	3,000.00
9. Real estate owned other than banking house	58,596.08	58,596.08
10. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	17,007.50	17,007.50
11. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	55,511.16	55,511.16
12. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	2,126.45	2,126.45
13. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	3,748.33	3,748.33
14. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00	2,500.00
15. Interest earned but not collected (approximate)	805.00	805.00
Total	\$385,385.58	\$385,385.58
LIABILITIES		
16. Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
17. Undivided profits	\$22,845.22	\$22,845.22
18. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	8,149.63	8,149.63
19. Interest and discount collected but not earned (approximate)	2,875.00	2,875.00
20. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00	50,000.00
21. Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in 30 or 31)	43.20	43.20
22. Individual deposits subject to check	228,375.92	228,375.92
23. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	8,343.25	8,343.25
24. Cashier's checks outstanding	12,444.64	12,444.64
25. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	18,607.98	18,607.98
Total	\$385,385.58	\$385,385.58
26. Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 41, 42, 43, and 44	18,607.98	18,607.98

State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith, ss:
I, A. S. Fuqua, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. S. FUQUA, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1917.
A. M. JONES, Notary Public.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
W. W. Watson,
W. S. Higgins,
R. J. Kibbe,
Directors.

NOVEL CONTEST AT THE COLLEGE

Prize Hens From All Over State Entered in Egg-Laying Contest.

A novel contest has been inaugurated by the Texas Experiment Station and Extension Service of the A. & M. College of Texas. A number of pens of poultry have been entered in an egg-laying contest, and daily records of egg movement of the fowls are kept and published. The first report, including the entries, follows:

Nov. 1, 1917.

Certified to be corrected by
F. W. KAZMEIER,
Chairman Board of Directors.
R. N. HARVEY,
Supt. of the Contest.

ENTRIES - Giving entry No., variety, owner, and address:
1. B. P. Rocks, F. W. Clark, Van Horn, Texas.
2. S. C. W. Leghorns, George Gray, Boerne, Texas.
3. S. C. W. Leghorns, J. A. Baker, Boerne, Texas.
4. S. C. W. Orp, J. S. Hubbard, Ft. Worth, Texas.
5. S. C. W. Leghorns, R. E. Sharp, Cameron, Texas.
6. S. C. W. Leghorns, C. T. Knudson, Nones, Texas.
7. S. C. W. Leghorns, A. F. Egger, Paris, Texas.
8. S. C. R. I. Reds, I. C. Gibbon, Nones, Texas.
9. S. C. W. Leghorns, C. M. Evans, Bryan, Texas.

Texas, Cooperating with Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station, Texas.

Some of the chickens entered were infested with Geas and lice. These were exterminated before the birds were placed in the contest houses.

Some of the birds entered are very immature and will not do much visiting the nest boxes until December and January. This will not necessarily prove a serious handicap.

The contest appears to be very popular, judging from the number of requests for the monthly reports. The past few days these requests have averaged in excess of 100 per day.

More entries would have been sent but for the fact that quite a few breeders had sore head, colds and rumps in their flocks and hence could not send their birds.

Several entries have already been promised for the Second Texas National Egg Laying Contest.

The houses were thoroughly cleaned and disinfected before any birds were placed in them.

Fees Colored in 6 to 14 Days
This contest will reward the owner of the best egg-laying pen in the State. The best egg-laying pen shall be the one that lays the most eggs in a 14-day period.

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For one week we will make a cut price on all Ladies' Tailored Suits, Ladies' and Children's Coats. This big reduction is just at the time of year that every person that has not bought a coat or suit, can get the benefit of this big cash saving. These same goods that we are making this cut price on, if we should go into the market today to buy would possibly cost us from 10 to 25 per cent more. If you need a good winter coat or suit we will be pleased to sell you. We give you profit sharing coupons with each sale.

\$40.00 Ladies' Suit, for only	\$34.65
\$50.00 Ladies' Suit, for only	\$29.98
\$32.00 Ladies' Suit, for only	\$27.50
\$30.00 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$25.00
\$27.50 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$23.45
\$25.00 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$21.15
\$22.50 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$18.75
\$20.00 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$16.65
\$17.50 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$13.85
\$15.00 Ladies' Suit or Coat, for only	\$12.50
\$13.00 Ladies' Coat, for only	\$10.98
\$12.50 Ladies' Coat, for only	\$9.65
\$10.00 Ladies' Coat, for only	\$7.45
\$8.50 Children's Coats for only	\$6.25
\$7.50 Children's Coats for only	\$6.00
\$6.50 Children's Coats for only	\$5.00
\$5.00 Children's Coats for only	\$3.75
\$4.00 Children's Coats for only	\$3.00

CHRISTMAS GOODS
We have a large stock of men's and ladies' goods suitable for presents, and the kind that will make valuable and useful gifts.
We advise buying Christmas goods early as possible in account of scarcity of merchandise that is sure to be later in the winter. Below we mention a few articles that would make suitable gifts:
Ladies' and Men's Suits, Ladies' Nice Coats, Boys' Suits, Men's and Boys' Mackinaw Coats, Men's Overcoats, Ladies' and Men's Neckwear, Men's and Boy's belts, Men's supporters, Ladies' and Men's craps and Silk Handkerchiefs, Men's fine silk shirts, Ladies' new lot craps Waists, fine Shoes, a silk Hosiery, Furs, Men's fur Caps, Gloves, Silk Scarfs and Knit Caps, Bath Robes, Striped Hats, fancy Ribbons, Felt house shoes, Sweaters, Jewelry, silk dress goods, wool blankets, and many other things that we can't mention on account of space.
Come in and look our big stock over. Let us assist in wrapping your Christmas presents.

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

MRS. F. W. PRICE, Prices 25.

The Bay View Club met last Thursday with Mrs. E. F. Guthrie. The program which was on "Polish Music" proved an unusually interesting one. Mrs. E. H. Hawkins was leader. Mrs. Tandy gave a brilliant selection from Chopin.

After the lesson Mrs. Guthrie served refreshments to the members. Mrs. O. G. Hill was a guest of the Club at this meeting.

On Sunday evening Mrs. O. G. Hill was hostess at the Weaver hotel to a number of her friends. A six-course dinner was served. Places were laid for six. The center piece was a large display of fruit. The table was beautiful with silver, cut glass and white napery.

Mrs. West in her gracious manner gave a toast to her hostess.

Mrs. S. J. Dodson proved indeed a genial hostess Tuesday afternoon when the Mothers' Club met with her in a purely business session. These earnest workers have done much good, both in a Civic and educational way for the community.

After much discussion, pro and con, the Club decided that each hostess would donate \$1.00 to the Red Cross fund instead of serving refreshments. This decision is to hold until time when the war ends.

Their usual Thanksgiving offering was made, and that is—each year these good ladies find some needy families; buy and deliver to these homes, good, substantial things to eat, for their Thanksgiving dinner.

After all business was attended to the hostess served dainty refreshments

Y. M. C. A. FUND

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Perkins, F. D.	5.00
Phillips, W. B.	1.00
Phillips, J. B.	1.00
Pittman, J. H.	10.00
Powelson, Mrs. Edith	10.00
Powelson, Ruth	2.00
Ramsay, E. E.	10.00
Randel, H. T.	5.00
Ray, W. H.	15.00
Read, Mrs. E. E.	2.50
Read, E. R.	10.00
Reynolds, L. C.	5.00
Rice, H. L.	10.00
Ricketts, W. A.	2.50
Roberson, J. P.	5.00
Roberson, J. M.	5.00
Roberson, Mrs. M. J.	2.00
Roberson, Obey	1.00
Roberts, Mrs. E. H.	2.00
Robinson, James R.	2.50
Rockwell, C. C.	1.00
Runton, C.	10.00
Russell, W. C.	1.00
Rutherford, Mrs. J. T.	5.00
Rutherford, Jim	1.00
Sanders, J. C.	5.00
Sanders, Mrs. S. J.	5.00
Sanders, S. J.	5.00
Shaw, C. D.	25
Shirley, T. E.	10.00
Shore, L. H.	2.50
Short, A. B.	5.00
Slaton, J. P.	5.00
Slaughter, T. B.	2.50
Smith, Mrs. Clarence	1.00
Smith, C. E.	5.00
Smith, Frank R.	10.00
Smith, Mary E.	5.00
Smith, W. M. & Son	10.00
Spratt, L. H.	2.00
Stambaugh, G. A.	25.00
Stanley, H. D.	2.50
Stegall, Frank	5.00
Suggs, Mrs. G. M.	10.00
Suggs, G. M.	15.00
Tatman, G. O.	1.00
Tatman, O. E.	1.00
Terra, Blanco School	3.81
Thompson, Mrs. A. O.	2.50
Thompson, A. O.	25.00
Trow, H.	10.00
Tyner, B. A.	10.00
Valentine, W. B.	10.00
VanDyke, W. M.	1.00
Vogels, Mrs. N. C.	10.00
Wagner, John	10.00
Walker, C. V.	1.00
Ward, Alice	5.00
Ward, Mrs. J. J.	5.00
Ward, J. J.	25.00
Watts, T. S.	.50
Wear, J. A.	1.00
Welliver, Percy	25.00
Wherry, Joe	5.00
Wilkinson, Henry	25.00
Williams, C. B.	5.00
Williams, W. S.	10.00
Wilson, Beulah	2.50
Wilson, Earl W.	10.00
Wilson, John L.	10.00
Wilson, W. A.	1.00
Witherspoon, A.	2.50
Witherspoon, Vern	25.00
Wolf, Leo	1.00
Wombie, J. C. and wife	10.00
Woods, J. P.	5.00
Wyche, J. S.	2.00
Total Paid	\$1737.11
Total Unpaid	\$233.75
Total Subscribed	\$1970.86

WAR RECIPES

(By Isabel Gordon Curtis)

The views of Isabel Gordon Curtis, who is well known in every American household through her long service in solving the cooking problems for the readers of GOOD HOUSEKEEPING, COLLIER'S DELINEATOR and SUCCESS MAGAZINE are in complete harmony with the Food Administration upon the all important question—BREAD.

When the query was recently put to Isabel Gordon Curtis "Where and how did you learn to cook?" she went back to the days of her childhood, which were spent in Scotland.

"If I was eager for one thing," she confesses, "it was to get into the kitchen on baking days. Baking day in a Scottish kitchen is very different from that in America. No yeast-raised bread is made, no cakes, cookies, pies or doughnuts. Twice a week a Scotch housewife piles a tray full of crisp oatcakes. They are baked on a griddle, then dried on a little hanging shelf in front of a red peat fire. There is a batch of puffy scones, also griddle-baked; but no sweet stuff. The stoves are long ranges built into the wall; they never fire up enough to bake anything that needs more heat than a milk pudding. Then Scotch women do not know the secret of bread-making, for 'loaf-bread,' as it is called, comes from the bakeshops. For me there was no fascination of watching bread rise or the mysterious process of kneading. Only I loved to roll out my own little oatcakes and scones and bake the tiny batch on the edge of the griddle."

PICAITHELY SCONES

(Scotch Recipe)

4 cups flour
4 level teaspoons Calumet
Baking Powder
2 tablespoons butter
1-1/2 cups milk
1-2 teaspoon salt
Stir together the dry ingredients, rub in the butter, and mix to a soft dough with the milk. Turn out on a floured baking board and roll into rounds. Bake the griddle thinly with

Star Theatre

FRIDAY, NOV. 30

Conquest Program—A program for the entire family
Your obedient servant in three parts, suggested by Anna Sewell's Story Black Beauty.

A Duke For a Day, in two parts, a Comedy Drama, with lots of pep and fun. The story of the Ostrich from the time the egg is buried in the sand by the mother bird for Old Sol to hatch until the full grown bird is shorn of its plumage. The Pied Piper of Hamelin.
Admission 10c and 20c

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT

William Fox presents for your approval LITTLE JUNE CAPRICE in "EVERY GIRL'S DREAM". "Every Girl's Dream is a genuine Fox feature. This is a picture that will please all who see it. If you fail to see this feature you will regret it.
Matinee 10c and 15c. Night, 10c and 20c

MONDAY

William A. Brady presents for your approval ALICE BRADY in "BETSY ROSS". This is a story of the American Revolution, ALICE BRADY, who plays the lead is one of the most noted Stars on the screen to-day. This is a war drama with thrills and heart interest scenes all through the five reels.
Admission 10c and 20c.

TUESDAY

Metro Pictures Corporation presents wonderful EMILY STEVENS, "late Star of The Slipper," "The Wager" and "The Soul of a Woman" and a number of other great productions. In "OUTWITTED" a five-act wonderplay of love that triumphed over hate, directed by George D. Baker, adopted by Mary Murillo from the original story by Charles A. Logue. "Outwitted" is a picture DELUXE—be sure to see it.
Admission 10c and 20c.

WEDNESDAY

Artercraft Picture Corporation presents DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "DOWN TO EARTH". Douglas Fairbanks "Down to Earth" is one of the cleverest bits of comedy ever done; it was made for a laugh producer like it will produce them if you will only come to see it—For the blues expeller it has no equal; it will make you forget all your troubles and worry. Douglas Fairbanks is the leader in comedy to-day, so do not miss seeing him Wednesday night.
Admission 10c and 25c

THURSDAY

Greater Vitagraph presents CHARLES HENDERSON and CHARLES KENT in "SOLDIERS OF CHANCE" by Oliver Curwood. The plot is laid in New York and South America. Greater Vitagraph never makes a bad picture; they always please, so do not fail to see "Soldiers of Fortune".
The Jazz Band will have some more surprises for you for Thursday night.

With "The Soldiers of Fortune" and The Jazz Band we know you will be well pleased.
Admission 10c and 20c

Coming Dec. 12th, DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "MAN FROM PAINTED POST".
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STAR THEATRE OFFERINGS

Scenes surrounding beautiful Lave George are shown in "Outwitted," the forthcoming Metro wonderplay starring wonderful Emily Stevens, to be seen at the STAR THEATRE Dec. 4. There the love scenes between Nan (Miss Stevens) and Billy Bond (Earle Foxe) were taken, and this picturesque locality makes just the right sort of background for the budding romance in "Outwitted."

In one of the magnificent rooms in the house of Larson (played by Frank Currier) a celebrated painting "Portrait of a Lady," by William Chase, is seen, set into the wall above the great fireplace.

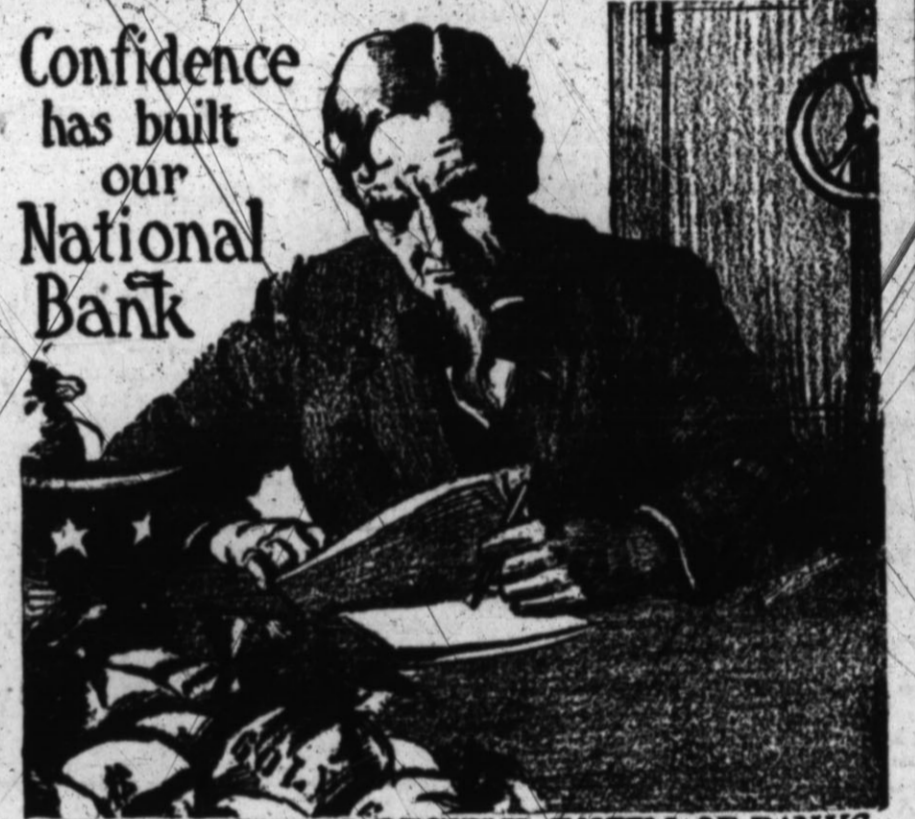
The use of a dictaphone is cleverly brought into the story of "Outwitted." The audience sees the conspirators place the instrument where the victim's own words will betray him. By means of clever signaling and telephone communications his secret thoughts are told by Nan (Emily Stevens) posing as the "veiled prophetess."

Miss Miriam Fouche, the beautiful and talented young Vitagraph star in "Soldiers of Chance," Albert E. Smith's Greater Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature, which will be the attraction in the STAR Theatre on Dec. 6, is one of the few moving picture actresses of independent means. Miss Fouche, who is only 20 years old, inherited \$50,000 on the death of her father, two years ago. A part of this money was lost in cotton speculation. Two weeks ago, however, she received \$25,000 more from the sale of oil stocks in Texas.

Miss Fouche was born in Shreveport, La., daughter of one of the oldest French families in the South, the lineage on her father's side extending back to the nobles in France. When seven years old, she entered St. Francis Academy for Girls, a convent in Shreveport, where she remained until she was fifteen. Then she removed to Texas, where her father was in business. She went into moving pictures a little more than a year ago.

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We have right here in our house the largest stock of holiday goods ever brought to Hereford, Texas. We bought these goods early and we are showing them on last year's prices. We are selling every item in the line at a price that will certainly save our customers money.

But even our large stock is going to be badly broken before the holidays arrive and so we certainly advise every one who wants the best in holiday goods to come now and make your purchases. We will gladly wrap and keep them for you until Christmas.

Practically every wholesale house in the country has already sold out of holiday goods, and with the present congestion in shipping, we do not hope to get any "fill in" shipments at the last minute.

Don't let another week pass without making your selections.

C. A. Skelton

Additional Locals From Last Week

Col. E. T. Woodburn has been confined to his home on account of illness the past few days. We sincerely hope to see the Colonel out again soon.

Clarence Black was in Hereford the first of the week.

L. H. Lyons of Austin, was transacting business in this city Wednesday.

M. J. Roth of Chicago, was a business visitor in this city last Wednesday.

G. H. Rockwell, who is traveling for the King Bee Hat Co., of Saint Louis, was in Hereford last Wednesday.

J. H. Cummings, of Dallas, was in Hereford on business Monday.

W. B. Shaw of Baltimore, was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Joe Stethelmer, of Kansas City, made a business trip to this city the first of the week.

R. O. Markwell of Wichita, Kansas, spent Tuesday in this city.

Wm. E. Davis of Denver, was in Hereford the first of the week.

Cliff Johnson of St. Louis made a business trip to Hereford the first of the week.

H. M. Thornton of Dallas, was in Hereford Wednesday.

H. D. Mackholder of Chicago spent Wednesday in Hereford.

W. T. Johnson, of Amarillo, was a Hereford visitor Thursday.

Ira Bacon, representing the Mercantile Linotype Co., was in town last Saturday.

Ross Harp, of Amarillo, is a Hereford visitor this week.

L. M. Morris of Atlanta, was in this city attending to business Wednesday.

H. C. Tyler, of Wichita, Kansas, made a business trip to Hereford on Tuesday.

John Geivin of Amarillo, was in Hereford Tuesday.

Thos. J. Zook, President and General Manager of Zook & Zook, livestock commission company, accompanied by his little grand son, Thomas Zook Ennis, who has been in Hereford several days in interest of his business returned Wednesday morning to his home in Kansas City.

W. J. Stanford, son-in-law of E. B. Black, formerly of Waco, and well known in Hereford, has returned and will be connected in future with the firm of E. B. Black & Company.

Tom Gallaber, Division Freight and Passenger Agent for the Santa Fe at Amarillo, was a Hereford visitor on Wednesday.

Miss Kate Wilson who has been teaching in the Hereford high school, returned to her home in McLean, Saturday. Miss Wilson will take a position in the McLean school.

F. E. Chase of Dallas, was in Hereford on business last Friday.

A Johnstone of Saux Center, Ark., was a business visitor in Hereford, Saturday.

H. L. Gosson of Columbus, Ohio, was a business visitor to Hereford, Saturday.

C. S. Weaver of Ft. Worth was in Hereford Saturday.

F. L. Privett, of Portland, was a visitor in Hereford Sunday.

G. N. Butler of Dallas, made a business trip to Hereford last week.

W. E. McKenney of Amarillo, was in Hereford Saturday.

J. R. Crossley of Amarillo, was a Hereford visitor last week.

Walter McKenzie of Amarillo, was business visitor in Hereford Friday.

D. M. Johnston of Dallas, was a business visitor in this city last week.

W. T. Brownlee, of Amarillo, was a business visitor to Hereford Friday.

C. Rowlett of Dalhart, was a Hereford visitor Saturday.

A. L. Mankin of Floydada, was in Hereford Sunday.

Orlan Clary of Post, was a Hereford visitor Sunday.

Lee Cronover of Floydada was a Hereford visitor Sunday.

Nolan Clary of Post, was in Hereford Saturday.

W. S. Williams of Plainview, was a business visitor in Hereford Thursday.

Geo. Ward of Tulsa, was in Hereford Thursday.

J. M. Howell of Lamera, was a business visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

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History Of The Christian Endeavor Work

The Young People's Society of the Christian Endeavor was founded by Rev. Francis E. Clark, pastor of the Williston Congregational Church of Portland, Maine. It was founded on Feb. 2, 1881, in the parsonage of Williston church. An article entitled "How One Church Cares for its Young People," by Dr. Clark, published in "The Congregationalist" in August 1881 was the first newspaper article about the new society.

On Oct. 1881, the second society was formed by Rev. Charles Perry Mills, in the North Congregational Church in Newburyport, Mass. On June 2nd, 1882, when only six societies were recorded the first Christian Endeavor Convention was held. In 1883, Dr. Clark published a book "Children and the Church", which was the first Christian Endeavor book.

At the convention held in Old Orchard, Maine, in July 1885, the United Society of Christian Endeavor was formed, with Hon. W. J. Van Patten of Vernon as president. The United Society of Christian Endeavor was supported by the sale of Christian Endeavor helps, with no dues from the societies. In Jan. 1886, at the New Haven convention, the first local union was formed. In Oct. 1886 the paper, "The Christian Endeavor World" was established. Dr. Clark became president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor in 1888, giving up from that time his entire time to the work. In the spring of 1888, when he laid the foundation of Christian Endeavor in England, Dr. Clark made his first foreign journey in the interest of C. E.

Christian Endeavor day was first observed in 1888. There has been

many general secretaries of the United Society. There has been many notable conventions of Christian Endeavor; that in New York City in 1892 when 35,000 came together; that in Montreal in 1893, the first held outside the United States; the Cleveland Convention of 1894, held during the great railroad strike; that of Boston in 1895 with more than 50,000 registered delegates; our largest convention, that of Washington, 1896, held in three large tents near the foot of the Washington Monument; that of San Francisco in 1897, when nearly 30,000 delegates attended, half of them from the East; that of Atlantic City, in 1911, which was the first to be addressed by a President of the United States, President Taft.

Some world's Christian Endeavor Union Conventions have been held, some of which were held in Washington, London, England; Geneva, Switzerland, and Agra, India—all magnificent gatherings.

Christian Endeavor is spreading to every country of the globe, but it is especially strong next to the U. S. in Great Britain, Germany, Canada, Brazil, South Africa, Austria, India and Japan. It is found in about eighty seven evangelistic denominations in most of which it is the only young people's society.

The principles of Christian Endeavor are: definite standards of service, and definite commitment to those standards, open confession of Christ, and speaking for Him according to ability and opportunity. The cultivation of the devotional life by regular prayer and Bible Study, training in Christian service by a variety of committees, work, loyalty to the church, and regular attendance upon church services, generous giving to Christian work, Christian citizenship, interdenominational fellowship and the promotion of peace and good will among the nations of the world. All of these Endeavors to be made in accordance with the will of God, and true to His strength. These are the purposes and the steady aim of Christian Endeavor.

W. E. Laubach of Dallas, was in Hereford on business last week.

Mrs. F. V. Mize and little daughter Janice, who have been visiting Mrs. Mize's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. McClurkin, returned Monday to their home in Electra, Texas.

C. S. Allison, A. Boyd, C. E. Davis, F. G. McNawn of Great Bend, Kansas, were Hereford visitors last week.

HIGH LAND GAS-OIL CO. OPENS AN OFFICE

The High Land Gas & Oil Co. has opened an office in the building back of the First National Bank. Mr. J. F. Albright, agent for the company, will be in charge of the company interests and business here. This company is operating in the Electra oil fields, and a number of local people are interested in it.

John Henry Hicks was born 18, 1851, on a farm near Center, Ohio, died in Hereford, Texas, Nov. 6, 1917, age 66 years. He was youngest of four children; one survives. His early life was spent near the scene of his birth, where he was converted and joined the church, of which he remained a full member until death. In 1870 was united in marriage to Ida M. To this union five children were twins, dying in infancy; those are Mrs. Wm. Debolt, Center, Ohio; C. M. Hicks, Hereford, Tex.; Mrs. C. W. McElhenie, Peru, Ill. also leaves seven grandchildren.

Later in life he moved his home to Columbus, Ohio, where he lived twelve years for the Jones Nat'l Fence Co., of which he was a stockholder. His work took him almost every State in the Union, sunny and cheerful disposition for his many friends. He was always proud of the fact that he never taken a drink of intoxicating liquor. He was a Charter member Hawthorne lodge, No. 228, Knights Pythias, of Centerburg, Ohio. In 1870 he moved with his family to Hereford, Texas, where he has since resided, still claimed by death. His whole life was unselfishly devoted to the best of his country, the community which he lived and his family, was a thoughtful, faithful and affectionate husband and father, family circle is broken, a place is cast in our home, but in the words of Lord Byron: "There is no death; An Angel form walks o'er the earth with silent tread, And bears our best loved ones away, And then we call them dead."

ANNOYING KIDNEY ILLS Make Life Miserable for Many Hereford People.

There's nothing more annoying than kidney weakness or inability to properly control the kidney secretion. Night and day alike, the sufferer is tormented and what with the burning and scalding, the attendant headache and dizziness, life is indeed a burden. Doan's Kidney Pills have given peace and comfort to many Hereford people. Profit by the Hereford resident's experience.

J. L. Martin, telegraph operator, 111 Jowell Ave., Hereford, says: "I water in this country is hard on the kidneys, causing them to get weak a number of times and then my back has bothered me. It has ached and has been lame. I sometimes have had black spots floating before my eyes. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Betts-Clark Drug Store, are the best medicine I have ever used for the trouble. They have always given me the desired results."

Price—50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Martin had. Foster-Milburn Co., Proprietors, Buffalo, N. Y.

BIG MOVING SALE

FURNITURE, RUGS and LINOLEUMS SLAUGHTER SALE BEGAN NOV. 23 AND LASTS UNTIL GOODS ARE ALL SOLD

Our sale will last until all goods are sold. Our store-room is too small for the mammoth stock we now have on hand. We must sell these goods as we are going to move, and we don't want to move these goods. Consequently we will sell these goods at prices that you never heard of. You come to our store and be convinced. Look at the following and be astonished:

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33 1/3 "	on all Beds	33 1/3 "	on all Cedar Chests	33 1/3 "	on all Dressing Tables
33 1/3 "	on all Springs	33 1/3 "	Dining Room Furniture	33 1/3 "	Dressing Table Chairs
33 1/3 "	on all Chairs	33 1/3 "	on all Kitchen Cabinets	33 1/3 "	on all Pedestals
33 1/3 "	on all Rockers	33 1/3 "	on all Duofolds	33 1/3 "	on all Magazine Racks

Come, see our line of Pianos and Sewing Machines. Remember, you can buy from us cheaper than anybody in the entire world. Don't forget this sale, it doesn't close at all. When you think of Furniture P. S. - When a baby gets burned, you'll hear it cry; 'nuf sed!

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J. A. MATHAIL

A. & M. vs. Dico vs. Big Championship Game Turkey Day

After one of the most interesting and exciting years in the history of the game the football season in Texas is drawing to an end. On Tuesday of this week the A. & M. College at College Station, defeated the State University by the score of 7 to 0 in one of the most exciting and hard fought games ever staged between the two schools. This leaves only two schools in the state as contenders for the championship honors, these being A. & M. and Rice Institute at Houston. This title will be decided on Thanksgiving day at Houston when these two schools will meet for the first game of the season. Until recently Baylor University at Waco was the favorite for championship honors but they were eliminated a week ago by the score of 7 to 0. With Baylor out and with all the other colleges in the state having been defeated, this leaves A. & M. and Rice as the only contenders. On Thanksgiving day the A. & M. boys at A. & M. are very enthusiastic supporters of the A. & M. team and declare that she can win this year. The boys at A. & M. from Hereford are Raymond Hawkins, James Mounie, Douglas Council, Homer Williams and Roy Gough. We had a game from Ray Gough Tuesday night giving us the result of the game with Texas U. and stating that if the Brand didn't give A. & M. some consolation account of its victories that the Hereford boys would "clean up" on the state when they return home. So we hope to "come across" and give credit where it is due, and thus to save ourselves from the wrath of these A. & M. huskies.

JOEL JOTTINGS

A much needed well is being dug at the Askren school grounds. James Askren is making a visit with his mother to Ohio and will help her to celebrate her eightieth birthday. Threshing is the order of the day in this community, tho the stalks are yet very sappy and hard to thresh. Much interest is manifested in the Red Cross work by the members of the Askren school district auxiliary. Mr. Galley is in receipt of a box of splendid Missouri apples, grown by our former neighbor, E. D. Kober, of Brookfield, Mo., who says his young orchard is just commencing to bear. The samples bespeak success for his efforts. Thanksgiving will be observed at the Askren school house by an all-day program, including Red Cross work by the ladies and their helpers, a United States Flag raising, and preaching services by Bro. Baker. Dinner will be served in keeping with the food conservation plan of our Government consisting of corn bread, baked beans, Jack rabbits, stewed, baked or fried, dried apple sauce, pumpkin pie and coffee and such like provisions. So bring your baskets filled to your own taste just so the contents conform to the Government food conservation plan. Mr. Ray Hershey agrees to furnish the old-fashioned kind of corn meal for the occasion. The bread will be

baked on the ground. Preaching services at 3 p. m. Everybody welcome.

N. P. Taylor, representative for Hill & Shore of Chicago, was a Hereford visitor Friday.

H. A. Powelson representing Hill & Shore of Chicago, was in town last week.

M. M. Fuller of Lawton, Okla. was a business visitor in Hereford Friday.

L. A. Jago, of Gasoline, Texas, was in Hereford Friday.

Frank Gendis, from Silverton, Mo. was a Hereford visitor last week.

J. A. Edwards was a business visitor from Canyon Saturday.

Hereford attending to business Saturday.

O. M. Cox, of Lockney, was in Hereford on business the latter part of last week.

A. H. Faurst of Lyrose, Okla. was a business visitor to Hereford Saturday.

C. D. Price from Omaha, Nebr., was in Hereford Friday.

Helps Sick Women

Cardui, the woman's tonic, helped Mrs. William Everole, of Hazel Patch, Ky. Read what she writes: "I had a general breaking-down of my health. I was in bed for weeks, unable to get up. I had such a weakness and dizziness, . . . and the pains were very severe. A friend told me I had tried everything else, why not Cardui? . . . I did, and soon saw it was helping me. . . . After 12 bottles, I am strong and well."

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Lucifer H. Satan Tells Kaiser Bill Why He Picked Him to Do His Bidding

Louis Syberkrop of Creston, Iowa, has acquired much fame in recent weeks as author of a satire on Kaiser Wilhelm. Requests have come to him from Tammany, Secretary Daniels and Roosevelt, and people in every state of the Union and in Canada for copies of his articles. It follows: "Ottawa, Iowa.

"The Infernal Region, June 2, 1917. To Wilhelm von Hohenzollern, King of Prussia, Emperor of all Germany and Envoy Extraordinary of Almighty God.

"My Dear Wilhelm: I can call you that familiar name, for I have always been very close to you; much closer than you could ever know.

"From the time that you were yet an undeveloped being in your mother's womb I have shaped your destiny for my own purpose. Makes Her Blush.

"In the days of Rome I created a rough-neck known in history as Nero. He was a vulgar person and suited my purpose at that particular time. In these modern days a classic demon and efficient super-criminal was needed, and as I know the Hohenzollern blood, I picked you as my special instrument to place on earth an annex to hell.

"I gave you abnormal ambition, likewise an over-supply of egoism that you might not discover your own failings. I twisted your mind to that of a madman, with certain normal tendencies to carry you by—a most dangerous character placed in power. I gave you the power of a hypnotist and a certain magnetic force that you might sway your people.

"Embittered by Deformity. I am responsible for the deformed arm that hangs helpless on your left, for your crippled condition embitters your life and destroys all noble impulses that might otherwise chase the anxiety; but your strong arm is driven by your ambition that squanches all sentiment and pity. I placed in your soul a deep hatred for all things English, for of all nations on earth I hate England most. Wherever England plants her flag she brings order out of chaos, and the hatred Cross follows the Union Jack. Under her rule wild tribes become tilled of the soil and in due time practical citizens. She is the great civilizer of the globe and I HATE HER. I planted in your soul a cruel hatred for your mother, because SHE was English, and left my good friend Bismarck to fan the flame I had kindled. Recent history proves how well our work was done. It broke your royal mother's heart, but I gained my purpose.

"The inherited disease of the Hohenzollerns killed your father, just as it will kill you, and you became the ruler of Germany and a tool of mine sooner than I expected. Three Evil Spirits.

"To assist you and further hasten my work I sent you three evil spirits—Nietzsche, Treitschke and later Bernhardi—whose teachings inflamed the youth of Germany, who in good time would be willing and loyal subjects and eager to spill their blood and pull your chestnuts, yours and mine. The spell has been perfect—you cast your ambitious eyes toward the Mediterranean, Egypt, India and the Dardanelles, and you began your great railway to Bagdad, but the ambitious wife stood in your way. It was then that I sowed the seed in your heart that blossomed into the assassination of the duke and his wife, and all hell smiled when it saw how cleverly you saddled the crime on to Serbia. I saw you set sail for the fords of Norway, and I knew you would prove an alibi.

"How cleverly done; so much like your noble grandmother, who also secured an assassin to remove old King Frederick of Denmark, and later robbed that country of two provinces that gave Germany an opportunity to become a naval power. Murder is dirty work, but it takes a Hohenzollern to make away and get by.

"Improved on Hades. Your opportunity was at hand; you set the world on fire and bells of hell were ringing; your rape on Belgium caused much joy—it was the beginning the foundation of noble cathedrals and other infinite works of art was

hailed with joy in the infernal regions. You made war on friend and foe alike, and the murder of civilians showed my teachings had borne fruit. Your treachery toward neutral nations hastened a universal upheaval—the thing I most desired. Your under-sea warfare is a masterpiece; from the smallest mackerel to the great Lusitania you show no favorites. As you have no mercy; you have no consideration for the baby, clinging to its mother's breast, as they both go down into the deep together, only to be torn apart and leisurely devoured by sharks down among the corals.

"I have strilled over the battlefields of Belgium and France. I have seen your hand of destruction everywhere; it's all your work, super-fined that I made you. I have seen the fields of Poland, now a wilderness, fit for prowlng beasts only; no merry children in Poland now; they all succumbed to frost and starvation. I drifted down into Gallia, where formerly Jews and Gentiles lived happily together; I found but ruins and ashes. I felt a curious pride in my pupil; for it was all above my expectation. I was in Belgium when you drove the peaceful population before you like cattle into slavery; you separated husband and wife and forced them to hard labor in trenches. I have seen the most fiendish rape committed on young women, and those who were forced into maternity were cursing

the father of their offspring, and I began to doubt if my own inferno was really up to date.

New War Code. "You have taken millions of dollars from innocent victims and called it indemnity; you have lived fat on the land you usurped and sent the real owners away to starvation. You have strayed away from all legalized war methods and introduced a code of your own. You have killed and robbed the people of friendly nations and destroyed their property. You are a liar, a hypocrite and a bluffer of the highest magnitude. You are a part of mine and you pose as a personal friend of God. Ah, Wilhelm, you are a wonder. You want only to destroy all things in your path and leave nothing for coming generations.

Even Satan Revolts. "I was amazed when I saw you form a partnership with the impossible Turk, the chronic killer of Christians, and you a devout worshiper in the Lutheran church. I confess, Wilhelm, you are a puzzle at times. A Mohammedan army, commanded by German officers, assisting one another in massacring Christians is a new line of warfare.

"When a Prussian officer can witness a nude woman being disemboweled by a swart Turk, committing a double murder with one cut of his saber, and calmly stand by and see a house full of innocent Americans locked up, the house saturated with oil and fired, then my teachings did not stop with you, but have been extended to the whole German nation. I confess my Satanic soul grew sick, and then and there I knew the pupil had become the master. I am a back number, and my dear Wilhelm, I abdicate in your favor. The great key of hell

will be turned over to you. The gavel that has struck the doom of damned souls since time began is yours. I am satisfied with what I have done; that my abdication in your favor is for the very best interests of hell. In the future I am at your majesty's service.

Affectionately and sincerely, LUCIFER H. SATAN."

The Corps of Engineers of the American Army since April has not only been supplying the Engineer equipment for more than 1,000,000 men, but the members of the railway section have undertaken to transport and install and put in operation overseas a complete railway equipment.

The cost of materials ordered to date is approximately \$70,000,000, including some hundreds of locomotives, more than 100,000 tons of steel rails, more than 3,000 complete trestles, 500,000 ties, 12,000 freight cars, 600 flat and ballast cars, 600 miles of telephone wire and apparatus, and vast quantities of construction and repair equipment.

A duty imposed upon the engineers has been the purchase of the necessary Engineer equipment for more than 1,000,000 men. Within 15 days after the Engineer Corps following the declaration of war, advertised for equipment, awards had been made covering the requirements for this vast force—a total of \$700,000 articles, including among other items 5 miles of pontoon bridges.

The Engineers have also undertaken the work of organizing and equipping troops for special service, mining work, and mapping.

W. H. Adams of Richards, Colo., was a Hereford visitor, Saturday.



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The speed limit is fifteen miles per hour in the business part of town and eighteen miles at other places.

The use of muffler cut-outs is prohibited.

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FOR SALE—320 acres improved land, with all feed and one section grass. Also 100 white-faced heifer calves, (priced to sell), 9 miles north east of Hereford.
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FOR SALE—About 30 good young cows and span of good mules.
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FOR SALE—One six room house, well and wind mill, and one-half interest in well on line 867 Miles Avenue. Will sell very cheap for cash or will sell on terms, at 6 per cent interest. Address
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pasture 7 yearling heifers, branded one of the following brands: —on left shoulder, or —on left hip, or —on left hip; most of them have other brands also. One cow has JJ with a —over it on left hip and age brand on shoulder.
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FOR SALE—Pure bred spotted Shetland pony, 2 years old, broke for children and thoroughly gentle.
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I have bought the well-digging outfit of Geo. Turrentine and am ready to dig your well. Phone 395. D. R. GRIMES. 40-4t

FOR SALE—As I am moving to Amarillo will sell my residence at a bargain. W. O'Brien. 29

FOR SALE—Complete farming outfit, including horses and farm implements; at bargain. Inquire of E. W. MORGAN. 42-3t-pd

FOR SALE—Bundle feed, four and six miles north of town.
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SAVE GOOD YEARLING HENS

Desirable to Keep Them in Order to Increase Poultry and Egg Supply

Among farmers generally it is the common practice to sell the hens that are past a year old for poultry when they stop laying in the fall. Under the usual conditions this is good policy for as a rule only about half of the flock lay well enough the second year to be profitable, and the farmer who has pullets enough to replace all his old hens sees no advantage in keeping any of them over.

This year, however, those patriotic farmers who desire to do their part to increase the poultry and egg supplies will find it desirable to retain a considerable proportion of the yearling hens. Farmers in the crop belt especially will find it to their interest to hold all the good yearling hens they have, making such addition to their poultry house equipment as may be necessary to properly accommodate both pullets and hens. Overcrowding must be avoided, as neither pullets nor hens will do their best.

Selecting Hens to Keep

In selecting hens to keep over, preference should be given to those that molt early in September or later, for they are—as a rule—the most persistent layers. Such hens may not be at this time the best looking in the flock. They are likely to look rough in plumage with somewhat shriveled combs and pale colored legs. These things, however, are merely incidental to the non-laying and molting period. Hens that appear in prime condition at this time are those that molted in the summer because they stopped laying early. The exceptions which it may be desirable to retain are hens which reared broods in early summer and molted while running with the chicks.

Two classes of German prisoners are now detained in this country. One is comprised of sailors taken into custody when the United States entered

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Dec. 16 Morning: duet, Meslames McLenn and Hawkins; Evening, Male quartet.

Dec. 23 Morning: Anthem; Evening: Xmas song service.

throws a switch and every lamp in the camp goes out except the street lamps which are on another circuit.

Our training camps, with an army in the making are lighted with electricity. In some cases the drill field is also illuminated. Where the camps are located away from any electric transmission line and where it cannot be reached by any central station service, a small gasoline engine-driven generating plant is installed. The camp "streets" are wired for street lights and the same poles carry the service wires from which the current is "tapped off" to light the barracks.

A typical installation is to be found at Camp Upton, situated on a govern-

LET US BE THANKFUL



Even though the European conflict has cast gloom over so much of the world, we still have many things to be thankful for in this great country of ours.

Let us then celebrate the great American Holiday in the proper spirit of thanksgiving and hope for the blessings that the future has in store for us.

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the war; the other consists of "alien enemies," civilians who have been arrested and are now being held under governmental regulations for various reasons.

The principal detention camp is at Fort McPherson, Ga., where approximately 850 war prisoners are held. At Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., there are 100 alien enemies; at Fort Douglas, Utah, there are 547 prisoners of war and 50 interned Germans. Small detachments are now temporarily quartered at Army posts throughout the country, but their number is relatively small. Altogether there are 2364 actual prisoners of war in the custody of the War Department and about 400 interned aliens held at the request of the Department of Justice.

It is estimated that Germany is now holding 150 sailors taken from American ships by commerce raiders and other German vessels.

ELECTRIC LIGHT FOR TRAINING CAMPS

Lights on the bugles. This is followed by no puffing and blowing to extinguish candles. An orderly in the camp subway merely

ment reservation comprising 16,000 acres on the main line of the Long Island Railroad between the villages of Yaphank and Manorville. When fully completed the camp will have from 15 miles to 20 miles of well paved streets, a modern sewage system, a modern waterworks system, and an electric light and power distribution system.

The streets will be lighted by approximately 350 100-c.p. 6.6-amp. gas-filled tungsten lamps. There are five pumping stations, two for the waterworks system, aggregating 900 h.p. in capacity, and three for the sewage system, aggregating 135 h.p. The refrigerating plant is also operated by electric motors in capacity aggregating 135 h.p. Several hundred horse power capacity of motors is also required for the laundry, hospital, many other minor power purposes, and for heating.

It is estimated that the capacity for indoor lighting will be approximately 725 kw., for street lighting 50 kw., and as so far planned the complete installation will aggregate approximately a connected load of 1000 kw.

The distribution about the camp, is 2300-volt, three-phase. In the main service avenues, with 2300-volt, single-phase laterals through the streets. The secondary distribution is largely 110-220-volt three-wire system with the terminal and lightly loaded ends being 110-volt, two-wire system. It separates three-phase power circuit from the main transformer station to the refrigerating plant and sewage pumping plants.

Keep the birds with rather large-plump combs and wattles. Hens with pale vents, pale beaks, and pale legs have seen good layers. Keep the late motters.

Keep the pullets which mature quickly and start laying first. Those which start laying when less than 200 days old are the best layers if they have had the right care.

Market those which have been slow to feather or seem to lack vitality. The skin of the best layers should be rather loose and flabby on the abdomen between the vent and breast bone.

The pelvic bones must be thin, straight, flexible and wide apart.

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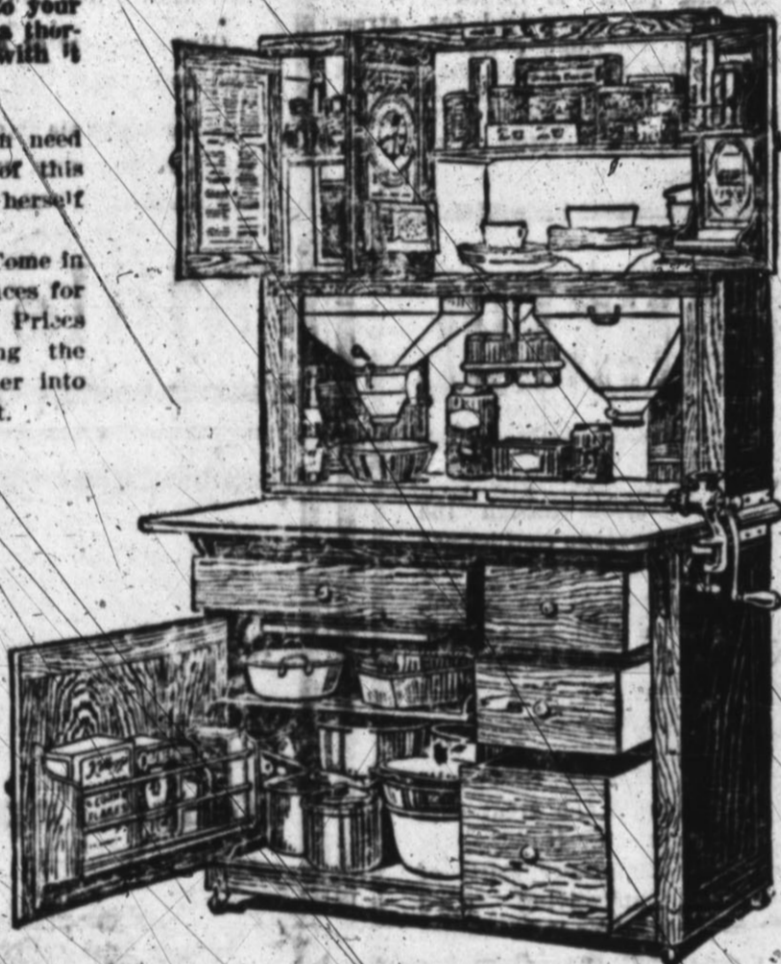
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BIRTHDAY PARTY
A birthday party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Decker six miles southeast of Hereford on Thursday night, Nov. 16th, it being Mrs. Decker's father's 80th birthday. Quite an enjoyable time was had by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Betts and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Copeland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bridges, Mr. Fred Curtis, Mrs. Charles McNerney and children, Mrs. Katharine McNerney, Miss Elsie Smith and Brother Okie.

It is probable that the velvet bean acreage in Texas this year is larger than ever before. The piney woods of East Texas are being made fertile with the growing of this legume, which at the same time gives abundant feed for cattle and hogs and adds materially to the profits of the livestock industry. The growing of velvet beans, however, may be extended to other sections of the state with profit to the farmer. On every farm where this legume has not had a place before, arrangements should be made for planting it in 1918. The velvet bean may be planted by itself or with corn and if the early varieties are secured it may be grown in practically every section of the state.

P. H. Berry and Jim Black spent Sunday with friends in Tulla.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

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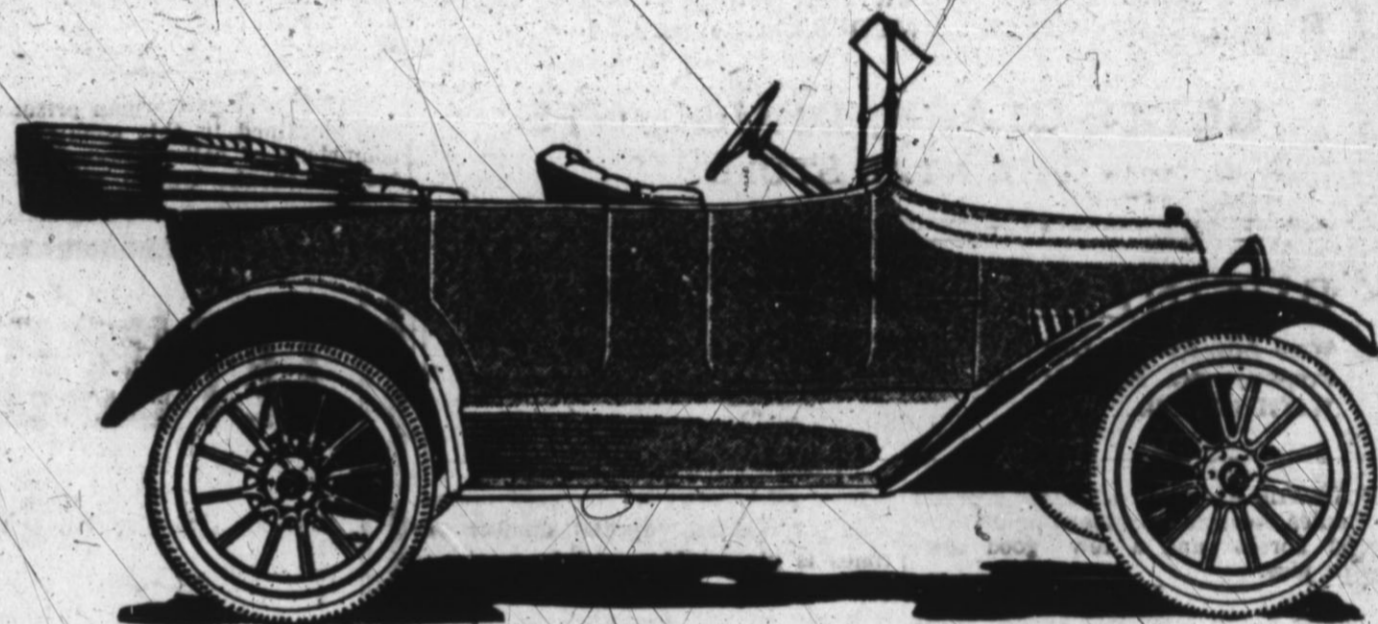
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SOME USED CARS ON HAND

NORTHERN STATES TO GAIN

An order signed by Secretary of Agriculture D. F. Houston, lifting on December 1, from 65,520 square miles in Southern States the Federal quarantine against movement of southern cattle is of great importance to cattle raisers and dealers of Northern States as well as those of the South.

In regions infested by the cattle tick it has not been held safe to import better stock for the improvement of southern herds, because cattle freshly brought in from regions where the tick is not prevalent are especially prone to sicken and die from the fever germs carried by the blood-sucking parasite. The Federal quarantine against the cattle tick, on the other hand, has prevented the shipment of cattle from infested sections for use as stockers and feeders in free territory, and prevents their shipment into free territory only under quarantine restrictions and for immediate slaughter.

The railroad commission are going to suspend the rule which requires railways to send out extra passenger trains on time if connecting lines entering the state are running more than 30 minutes late. The change is on account of war congestion.

RUTHERFORD LEAVES FOR TRAINING CAMP

J. R. Rutherford of Hereford departed Monday for headquarters of this Military District at El Paso, where he will become an Engineer in the service of the United States. Afterwards he will be assigned to the Twenty-third Engineers, Camp Meade, N. Y., where nifal training will be given him before departure for France.

Persons who are doing heavy physical labor and very active children need more energy-yielding foods than those engaged in mental work or light physical labor. Some of the principal energy-yielding foods are cereals, bread and butter, corn breads, white and sweet potatoes, cream, and other wholesome fats, and sweets.

Oklahoma has joined the states which prohibit possession for sale of airgrettes and in California the sale of airgrettes, birds of paradise, goura pigeons, and certain other birds used in millinery is now illegal.

If there is any indication of sickness in your hogs, have an experienced man see them at once; the sickness may be hog cholera.

CATTLE MOVEMENTS

Walter Lupton sold three registered bulls and one heifer, also registered, to Jeff Thompson this week.

Hamilton Bros. shipped eight cars of cattle to Kansas City.

E. W. Ross shipped two cars of cattle to Kansas City.

Buster & Jackson shipped four cars of cattle to Kansas City.

Arthur & Collins shipped one car of cattle to Kansas City.

R. C. Harris shipped three cars of cattle to Kansas City.

A Durlinger shipped two cars of cattle to Kansas City.

W. E. Williams shipped one car of cattle to Kansas City.

Brann & Whitsett shipped four cars of cattle to Kansas City.

D. W. Laird shipped two cars of cattle to Kansas City.

G. W. Bruner shipped one car of fat pigs to Wichita, Kansas.

H. C. Bowsher shipped one car of fat hogs to Wichita, Kansas.

J. W. Crawford shipped two cars of cattle to Alvard, Okla.

M. E. Clevenger shipped three cars of cattle to Kansas City.

Walter Spradley & Co. shipped six cars of calves to Kansas Tuesday.

A Letter From Washington

The Food Administrator Writes Us:

"The use of baking powder breads made of corn and other coarse flours instead of patent wheat flour is recommended by the Conservation Division of the Food Administration. The wheat needed for export is thus conserved, and at the same time healthful food for our own people is provided. The circulation of recipes providing for these uses would be of assistance in carrying out our plans."

The following recipes for Corn Bread and Rye Rolls save wheat flour and make attractive and wholesome food for every day when made with

DR. PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING POWDER
CORN BREAD RYE ROLLS

1 cup corn meal
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup Dr. Price's Baking Powder
1/2 cup rye flour
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup Dr. Price's Baking Powder

The Old Reliable

Time puts the service of any business concern to the acid test. Big national concerns proudly advertise the length of their service.

The Grocery Business

is no exception to this trade test. THIS STORE has served the good people of this section for years. If it had not done so honestly and efficiently it could not have survived the test. The proof is the steady line of satisfied customers we carry.

We invite your minute examination of our stock and prices.

Cardwell's Grocery

Community Co-Operation

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If you have children to educate, if you are interested in local, social or religious affairs, if you own, or expect to own, a home or other property, in your community, a few minutes' thought will convince you that it is decidedly to your best interest to patronize your local stores at all times, provided investigation proves that you can do so to as good advantage as elsewhere.

I realize that there is a certain class of merchants—and they are still represented in many towns and cities—who will not handle STANDARD products and who expect buyers to pay exorbitant prices for unknown goods of doubtful quality and origin, merchandise on which they can exact wide margins of profit.

"This class of 'storekeepers,' however, represents a comparatively small minority and is fast going the way of the prehistoric dinosaur and the nearly extinct mossback farmer who 'don't have to read nothing about farming.'"

Villages, towns and communities

develop in accordance with the amount and quality of effort put forth by their citizenship, and progressive, right-living people have long since learned that it is neither profitable nor pleasant to live in non-progressive communities. In nearly every locality are fathers and mothers whose sons and daughters have been forced to leave home in order to secure profitable employment that should have been afforded locally.

If you live on a farm you want good roads, schools, churches, telephone service, mail delivery and a convenient market in which to dispose of your products and from which to supply your wants.

If you live in town you want, in addition to the above, good streets and sidewalks, wholesome amusements—those things that go to make a community worth living in.

These advantages are the natural outcome of, and are limited to, the growth and condition of four localities, which is in turn dependent upon the extent of local trade activities.

REGISTERED AT HOTELS

- Henry Warren and Floyd Sloan, the Flag Ranch.
- J. A. Fowlkes, Amarillo.
- Messrs. McLean and Padgett, Texico, N. M.
- J. I. McCullough, Adrian, Texas.
- Marion O'Keefe, Panhandle, Texas.
- W. W. Harris and J. M. Higgins, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- M. P. Kynne, Flag Ranch.
- R. B. Gluck, Lawton, Okla.
- Con Jewell, San Francisco, Cal.
- Jack Parish, Lubbock.
- W. H. Shirley, Shoemaker, N. M.
- J. E. Siron, Pleasanton, Kans.
- J. M. Mortimer and wife, Hereford.
- Mary A. Mortimer, Hereford.
- Arthur Osgood, Amarillo.
- J. T. Smith, Dimmitt.
- E. R. Gest, Spring Lake.
- F. A. Keister, Dixon, Ill.
- R. C. Shuford, Dimmitt.
- W. R. Talbot, Plainview.
- G. C. Leany, Plainview.
- Worth Clark and Son, Alva, Okla.
- E. A. Mason, Kansas City.
- C. A. Cotter, Topeka, Kans.
- Hudson Holliman, Tahoka.
- D. W. Hildebrand, Tahoka.
- F. A. Robinson, Hereford.
- Joe Kinsey, Sweetwater, Texas.
- W. J. Jennings, Hereford.
- French Thurmond, Friona.
- W. T. Brownlee, Amarillo.
- F. P. Works, Amarillo.
- Henry C. Elmg, San Antonio, Tex.
- J. A. Buckingham, Amarillo.
- J. W. McKnight, Arlington, Texas.
- Messrs. G. W. Eubanks, V. C. Weson, J. W. Spooks and L. Basken, New York.
- F. L. Golden, Dallas.
- C. L. Wilson, Amarillo.
- R. S. Arnold, Amarillo.
- J. M. Yarborough, Greenville, Tex.
- H. Ball, Amarillo.
- G. B. Platt, Dallas.
- J. L. Higginbotham, Lubbock.
- Fred Banks, Dallas.
- E. S. Graves, Denver, Colo.
- J. B. Ray, Kansas City.
- E. L. Willitt, Dallas.
- J. R. Rowell, Ft. Worth.
- E. May Turner, Amarillo.
- A. G. Monday, Knoxville, Tenn.
- D. Allison, Wichita, Kans.
- J. E. Park and wife, St. Louis.
- C. E. Parks, Lubbock.
- Ed Huston, Lubbock.
- C. L. Danford, Denver.
- C. C. Wyatt, Amarillo.
- C. W. Smith, Ft. Worth.
- H. B. Stephens, Albuquerque.
- R. H. Crosby, Bartales.
- C. H. Allen, Abilene.
- Bill K. Green, Goodlett, Tex.
- R. L. Mackie, Amarillo, Texas.
- R. H. McCrummen, Lubbock.
- Bob Crump, Lubbock.
- A. L. Burkett, Plainview.
- Mrs. Mary Ott, Plainview.
- Lee J. Ott, Plainview.

15 Miles An Hour Too Speedy For Brethren Of 1828

Alexander Wells, an old time citizen of Wellsville, O., has a copy of an interesting and novel document issued by the school board of the town of Lancaster, O., in 1828. The question of the steam railroads was then in its incipient stage, and a club of young men had been formed for the purpose of discussing the points at issue. They desired the use of the schoolhouse for purposes of debate. This was looked upon by members of the school board as an innovation bordering upon sacrilege as indicated by the reply of the body to the request, which is the document in possession of Mr. Wells. It reads as follows:

"You are welcome to the use of the schoolhouse to debate all PROPER questions, but such things as railroads and telegraphs are IMPOSSIBILITIES and BARK INFIDELITY. There is nothing in the Word of God about them. If God had designed that his intelligent creatures should travel at the frightful speed of 15 miles an hour, by steam, He would clearly have foretold it through His bold prophets. It is a device of Satan to lead immortal souls down to hell."

Such sentiments possibly reflect the feeling to some extent in the days of 65 years ago, but they sound strange at the present time, when "the device of Satan" is daily carrying people over the land at the rate of 60 or 70 miles an hour. The world has progressed somewhat since 1828.

SOUTHWESTERN MACHINERY

In the semiarid sections poison-bran bait for grasshoppers should be distributed in the late afternoon or early evening.

Sows due to farrow should be separated from the herd two or three weeks before the farrowing date and put where they can farrow undisturbed.

Hunting on Sunday is prohibited in all States east of the one hundred and fifth meridian except Illinois, Louisiana, Michigan, Texas, and Wisconsin. Certain days of the week in some States constitute close seasons in which hunting is prohibited.

NEWS FROM THE BOYS

Deaf Smith County: Privates August T. Frye and George C. Messinger are attending the School for Non-Commissioned Officers.

Leslie Gray, Company Barber, is coming along in good shape. Private James A. Dollar will be graduated from the Cooks Bakers School next week and will be returned to his Company until further assignment.

Castro County: Private Joe C. Greer has returned from a successful operation at the Base Hospital, DIVISION PUBLICITY BUREAU, NINTIETH DIVISION, N. A. Camp Travis, Texas, Nov. 21, 1917.

Major General Henry T. Allen, commanding the 90th Division National Army, composed of men of the selected draft from Texas and Oklahoma, sends the following Thanksgiving Greetings to the Folks Back Home:

"This fine division of Texas and Oklahoma selectmen has abundant reasons for being grateful at this Thanksgiving Time: For the wonderful advantages in climate and shelter that are ours, for the great progress we are making in our war preparation so evident on all sides, and for the superb support you are giving us."

"As its head, I take a special pride in sending cordial greetings to the patriotic fathers and mothers, wives and sweethearts, brothers and sisters who are making continuous sacrifices that the men of the 90th Division may nobly and heroically represent them and the country in the great struggle for world liberty for the preservation of a Christian civilization."

"In behalf of all the members of this camp, I send affectionate greetings to the Folks Back Home who in a thousand ways are aiding the Government in the prosecution of this righteous war. No one has had more evidence of your trials and your heroism to the flag than the writer of this letter, for not a day passes that I do not hear directly from some of you."

"My responsibility to you for your BOYS is great, and I solemnly promise you to consecrate my utmost efforts to their training and leading to the end the greatest possible number may be returned safe and sound to you when they have loyally discharged their obligations to their country and to the world."

HENRY T. ALLEN, Major General, Commanding 90th Div.

In undertaking the task of supplying healthy recreational games for the men of the 90th Division, stationed at Camp Travis, the first point taken up was to promote that form of amusement which would enable the largest number of men to participate. Working along these lines, outdoor drills were divided into athletic drills and recreational drills. The former teach precision and tend to make soldiers answer subconsciously any demand made of them. The latter permit each individual to exercise his solution in the choice of games and sports. Under the head of sports in this division are found football, baseball, basketball, volleyball, hand ball, soccer, tennis, swimming, polo, boxing and wrestling.

At this time the division championship in baseball is being decided, and the division football team is being shaped to meet all comers on the gridiron. Boxing matches are held each Wednesday afternoon and at nights in the various organizations. Organization athletic fields have already been laid out and are being improved by the various organizations assigned to them. These fields include football and baseball fields, and play grounds for each organization. The division athletic field is being prepared and grandstands, seating between seven and eighteen thousand people, are being built.

Once each week all athletic officers as well as all others who are interested in promoting athletics and all forms of amusement in this division meet together for the purpose of exchanging ideas, discussing plans and co-operating in every way toward the accomplishment of the main end in view—bringing about the absorbing of the interest and participation of every man in this division, in some form of outdoor sport or game.

HIGHEST PEAK IN THE SOUTH WEST

The San Francisco volcanic field, Arizona, covering an area of about 3,000 square miles south of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, is interestingly described by the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, in Professional Paper 79. There is considerable matter in the book that will be of interest to the general reader, and especially to the student of physical geography.

The field takes its name from San Francisco Mountain, whose elevation of 12,631 feet makes it the highest peak in the southwestern States and by far the most prominent landmark of the Colorado Plateau. Flagstaff, a town of 15,000 inhabitants, lies 10 miles south of San Francisco Mountain, and also the more important points of interest in the field may be reached by wagon.

The report contains a brief description of the geography of the volcanic and lava fields. It sets forth the volcanic history of the region and correlates the periods of eruption with the general history of the surrounding country. There have been three general periods of volcanic activity in the San Francisco volcanic field, each followed by an interval of uplift and erosion. San Francisco Mountain is volcanic throughout and is, in fact, a huge volcano whose fires have been but recently extinguished, the latest outbreak doubtless representing the final feeble eruptions in a long cycle of volcanism.

One of the things which the local investigative committee which is examining into the affairs of the University of Texas, is inquiring into especially is that of the duties and

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need of student assistants. The testimony and evidence up to this time clearly show that these assistants are a necessary part of the instruction force of the University. They perform valuable service in assisting the professors in the laboratories, in grading examination papers, and in conducting quizzes. They relieve heads of the different departments of much work and save money to the University. The student assistants are at the same time enabled to pay part of their expenses in the University.

Recent investigations in the use of cotton-gun show:

A 12-inch gun disposes of a half bale of cotton with every shot fired; a machine gun in operation will use up a bale in three minutes; in a naval battle like the one off Jutland over 5,000 pounds a minute are consumed by each active war-ship; more than 20,000 bales a year are needed to provide absorbent cotton for the wounds of the injured; one change of apparel for all the troops now engaged in the war represents more than a million bales.

Included in the equipment furnished each infantryman by the Ordnance Bureau of the War Department are 62.7 ounces of brass. This is exclusive of the uniform equipment provided by the Quartermaster Corps.

Used in the haversack are 1.8 ounces of brass; in the bayonet scabbard, 0.5 ounce; in the canteen cover, 0.2 ounce; cartridges (700), 47.4 ounces; pouch for first aid packet, 0.3 ounce.

Equipment from the Ordnance Department Bureau for 100,000 infantrymen contains almost 136 tons of brass.

Jim Jones of Ambulance Co. No. 10, Ft. Bliss, El Paso, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, left Tuesday for their home in Middleton, Tenn.

A. A. FOSTER BUYS THE THOMPSON PLACE

A. A. Foster bought from A. O. Thompson, this week, the place just north of the Christian church. Mr. Foster will improve the place and move in as soon as he can get possession.

The Daughters of the American Revolution have adopted a French town. The member of this organization who have already given more than \$2,500,000 for war work, are raising money to build houses and buy furniture, live stock, and farming implements for the village of Tillage, on the Meuse, which has suffered heavily during the war.

A Federal license is now required in the United States for the legal possession of explosives, any person having explosives and not holding a license therefor being subject to a fine of \$5,000 and imprisonment for one year.

Only citizens of the United States and friendly countries may obtain licenses. The purchaser of dynamite must state definitely that the explosive is to be used for when obtaining his license, and will be held accountable for its use as stated and the return of any that may be left.

With the strict enforcement of this law the Federal authorities hope to prevent explosives falling into the hands of evilly disposed persons, and to put a stop to all further dynamite plots.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

YOU'LL LIKE HERFORD

A boy just out of school, feeling himself qualified by special study of gas engineering, rode a bicycle 260 miles to join the pioneer flame and gas battalion. A number of chemists, electricians, and mechanics well known in civil life were among the first to respond to the call for this service.

American soldiers, largely recruited from professions and trades, such as chemical and mechanical engineering, plumbing and carpentry, are being trained in this service to meet enemy fire and fumes with flame and deadly gas. There is opportunity for a limited number of enlistments of men with mechanical knowledge, gas experts, carpenters, clerks, and muscular, quick-thinking men between the ages of 18 and 30 years. Men possessing the necessary qualifications may volunteer at any recruiting station by asking to join the Thirtieth Battalion, Flame and Gas, forming at Washington, D. C.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County, GREETING:

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Roland G. Sisk, Decedent, Viola Sisk has filed in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Roland G. Sisk, decedent, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court commencing on the first Monday in December A. D. 1917, the same being the 3rd day of Dec. A. D. 1917, at the Court House thereof, in Hereford at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Hereford, this, the 11th day of Nov., 1917.

(Seal) A. O. Thompson, Clerk, County Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 43-21

WOODMEN OF WORLD Meets every Second and Fourth Saturday night in the I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Brothers always welcome. Troy Womble, Consul Commander; W. W. Bennett, Clerk.

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We want every traveler to have one of these wonderful, brilliant, E-F-L-E-C-T-R-I-C FLASHLIGHTS without cost. Thousands are sold at stores for \$1.00 each. Just the thing to get you after dark—hunting, etc. Write today for yours. We can guarantee you.

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We make this limited opportunity offer to every furrier. We will buy your best furs at the highest prices. We will pay you 25 to 30 percent more than the lowest market price. We will pay you 25 to 30 percent more than the lowest market price. We will pay you 25 to 30 percent more than the lowest market price.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

MISS WEBB LAMB, Local Reporter—Phone 30.

Mrs. J. P. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wood are visiting relatives at Mangum and Cordell, Okla.

Diamond mountings, brooch and ring mountings for special stones made to order. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

All members of the U. D. C. are urged to be present at the U. D. C. room Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Hats and Dresses cleaned & pressed at Mrs. A. Bennett's Tailor Shop. Phone 22. 43-1f.

Miss Frances Dameron and Laura Gove went to Amarillo last Saturday.

Earl's Tailor Shop. Phone 15. 32-1f.

Mrs. Anna Chamness and Mrs. L. Chamness will leave Thursday for Fort Worth to visit Lee Chamness who is training at Camp Bowie.

All Jewel Right watches in 20 year case while they last at \$22.50. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

Henry Elliott of Dallas, is visiting friends and relatives in Hereford.

Have made in the house; I have a reputation that's attractive. W. H. HANKINS.

Miss Frances Dameron and Laura Gove will leave Wednesday to attend the State Teachers' Association which meets at Waco this year.

The Singer sewing machines and Holston pianos, see W. H. Hankins. 37-1f.

W. W. Davis of Middleton, Hardeman County, Tennessee is here for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. F. M. Davis.

Special discount for the next few days on light cut glass in order to make room for our Christmas line. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

Mrs. E. M. Edwards left Saturday to attend the funeral of Rev. W. F. Edwards, at Kress, Texas.

Cleaning and Pressing our Specialty. BERRY & BENNETT'S Tailor Shop. Phone 100. 43-1f.

Miss Ina Edwards left Saturday morning for Kress to attend the funeral of her brother, Rev. W. F. Edwards.

We have an optical room built and equipped for the very latest and scientific method of testing eyes. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaetzel who have been visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Decker and family, left Tuesday morning for their home at Dale, Indiana.

BASKIN LAND COMPANY
Hereford, Texas. Resources \$25,000. 60. In Hereford since 1906. Best equipped land office in N. W. Texas. Write us if you want to buy or sell anything in the Panhandle. 32-1f.

If you need a sewing machine, and every household does, I have the best on the market. See me before buying. R. W. HANKINS. 43-1f.

S. J. Dodson spent Saturday in Amarillo looking after business interests.

Have your old style plain ring made into a "new model". We will use your own gold, and do the work in our own shop. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

Earl E. Wilson has purchased a seven-cylinder Studebaker from Lather Hough.

Faded Maps
Deaf Smith county—50 & 75c.
City maps Hereford—\$2.50.
T. E. Huffman, Hereford.

Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson of Friona, visited Miss Nella Carter in this city, Sunday.

We do vulcanizing and all kinds of tire repairs. We carry the Kelly-Springfield and Dunlop fabric tires and tubes. Supreme lubricating oil also, "That Good Gulf Gasoline". GULF FILLING STATION. 43-1f.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Busch of LeVern, Okla., who have been in Hereford the past few days, left Saturday for their home.

We clean ladies' dresses when others fail. Phone No. 18. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 32-1f.

Mr. and Mrs. Marie Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Marie W. Wilson returned to Kress the latter part of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wilson's brother, Rev. W. F. Edwards.

Do your eyes hurt or your head ache when you read? If you want to have your eyes tested, the chances are you need glasses. If your glasses don't fit you. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

SWIFT WHITE Laundry Soap \$4.50 per case. Hereford Produce Co., I. H. SPRATT, Mgr. 43-1f.

W. D. Van Dyke, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Hereford, for some few weeks, returned to his home in Buckner, Mo. Tuesday.

Will sell or trade for cattle, 6 good work horses and mules, one Grant Six car and one two-row lister. Phone 99. 37-1f.

WE STILL HAVE a few Greasy White potatoes @ \$3.00 per hundred. Get your winter supply while they last. Hereford Produce Company, I. H. SPRATT, Mgr. 43-1f.

E. J. Fullmer of Des Moines, Iowa, returned to his home Monday morning after a visit with his sister, Mrs. G. C. Taylor.

I have bought the well-drilling outfit of Geo. Turrentine and am ready to dig your well. Phone 295. D. R. GRIMES. 40-1f.

Miss Rosa Kluna of Hemstead, who has been visiting friends in this city for some time, left Monday for Amarillo.

If it's a toy Skelton has it. It Mrs. D. Love who has been visiting Mrs. J. D. Moore returned to her home in Amarillo Monday morning.

Roller Skates, Ball-bearing at Skelton's. 11.

SWIFT'S JEWEL Compound, \$2.40 per bucket. Hereford Produce Co., I. H. SPRATT, Mgr. 43-1f.

Mrs. C. F. Paschky who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. R. Gove, left Monday for her home in Pocatello, Idaho.

We do engraving, enameling and manufacturing. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

Horns, Drums, and Pianos at Skelton's. 11.

Mrs. G. F. Albert of Fortale, N. W., passed through Hereford Monday en route to Delaware, Okla., where she will visit her husband's relatives.

Suits and Dresses cleaned & pressed \$1.05. Berry & Bennett's Tailor Shop, Phone 100. 43-1f.

Decorations, Seals and Holly boxes at SKELTON'S. 11.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
Joe Roy Goutlin and Miss Verma Tires. 11.

Eyes tested and glasses fitted. Your money back, if you are not satisfied. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

I will pay you to visit our store during "Wear Ever" week, Dec. 1-3. 11. Dunlap Hardware Co.

Mrs. H. H. Watkins and daughter, Bathoed, spent the week and with friends in Amarillo.

"We are never satisfied unless you are." Phone No. 18. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 32-1f.

CALL and see our store. We are open and ready to serve every day. 44-1f. Hereford Nursery Company.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Handle who have been visiting their son, H. L. Randall, returned Wednesday morning to their home in Louisiana.

Work called for and delivered promptly. Phone No. 18. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 32-1f.

Hereford Poultry, Cream, and Produce Company
We want your poultry, eggs, cream and produce. Come and get the cash. 18-1f. I. H. SPRATT.

Virginia Ellis left Wednesday morning for Camp Bowie, where she will visit her brothers John A. and W. J. Ellis.

Wait for "Wear Ever" week, December 1-3. Dunlap Hardware Co. 11.

Miss Mattie McClurkin has gone to spend Thanksgiving with friends in Amarillo.

We want to lease one or two sections of good grass, with water, in 10 miles of town. Will pay good price. G. A. MERRICK & SON. 39. Hereford, Texas.

Rev. J. E. McClurkin, who was operated on a few days ago in the Baptist Sanitarium in Dallas, is now rapidly recovering.

Prices slaughtered at the big Moving Sale. The sale ends only when the goods are sold. Wilson's Furniture Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Niles Peebles left on Wednesday to visit relatives in Dallas.

We are right here to make our glasses good, if they do not fit, or your money back. W. H. RAY. 37-1f.

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If you have City property for sale list it with us. If you want to buy City property call on us. ASHBROOK & SUGGS, 36-1f. First State Bank Bldg.

John McLean and wife returned on Monday after a week's visit with relatives at Wichita Falls and Clarendon.

FOR SALE—Small barn, and second-hand wind mill; complete outfit for sale cheap. 44-2f. J. P. WOOD.

It will pay you to visit our store during "Wear Ever" week, Dec. 1-3. 11. Dunlap Hardware Co.

Doll swings, and all other Doll articles at SKELTON'S. 11.

Jim Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones, is here to spend Thanksgiving with home folks. Jim is in the ambulance corps and is stationed at Fort Bliss, near El Paso.

FOR SALE—1 black Percheron stallion, 5 years old; 1 black Percheron stallion 2 years old; 1 bay saddle horse 3 years old. FRED CURTIS. 6 mi. S. Hereford. 34-1f.

Mrs. J. C. Carpenter of Shamrock, is visiting her brother, L. P. Landrum and family.

The Big Moving Sale is stirring 'em up! Better make your selections now. Wilson's Furniture Store.

Doll buggies, Doll beds, Doll chairs, 11.

LOST—A purse containing money, in neighborhood of Panhandle Grain & Elevator Co. Finder have at Brand office and get reward. 44-2f. W. J. CHRISTIAN.

Rev. R. E. L. Farmer of Plainview, will be in Hereford Sunday and will preach at the Baptist church.

Our line of dolls with glass eyes the most particular. Pleased lower. 11. SKELTON.

Messrs. McMillin and Lee who have been attending the Baptist Convention in Dallas, returned home Wednesday morning.

Things are humming down our way! The Big Moving Sale is a "Sound Good". Come early and avoid the rush. Wilson's Furniture Store.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Black spent a few days in Ft. Worth last week.

Mr. G. M. Suggs and family and R. A. Comer and family spent last Saturday in Clovis visiting the family of John Comer.

The Big Moving Sale is stirring 'em up! Better make your selections now. Wilson's Furniture Store.

John Wright of St. Louis, Mo., was a business visitor to Hereford, Texas.

We have a beautiful line of fancy salad bowls. SKELTON'S. 11.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connell who is attending St. Mary's at Amarillo, will spend Thanksgiving with her father.

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Miss Goutlin of Amarillo spent the week and with Mrs. F. W. Price.

Leo Randall of Eldorado, Okla. was in Hereford, Friday.

Boas Mrs. Carl and Annie Love Lovance will spend the week end with Mrs. Edna Mosley near Hereford.

Aluminum ware with a 25-year guarantee at SKELTON'S. 11.

Mrs. F. L. Cunningham, baby and little daughter Onedia, left Wednesday morning for Childress, where they will visit Mrs. Walter Carter.

Born to Lieutenant and Mrs. Chas. J. Robinson, Los Angeles, Calif., a girl, Mrs. Robinson was formerly Miss Jessie Wright of this city.

When in need of articles for the kitchen see SKELTON'S. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Palmer left Hereford Wednesday afternoon in their car for an overland trip to Rockport, Texas, where they will spend the winter.

A little Hereford girl aged four, whose mother has been impressing on the family the necessity of conserving food, picked up a dead cat which some school boy had killed on the street near her home.

"Mother," she said, "Here is a good cat going to waste."
"What did you bring it in the house for," the mother inquired?
"So you could cook it for dinner," answered the four-year-old.

THAT SKIM MILK—SAVE IT
Save every drop of skim milk. It is a valuable food. Use it in your kitchen and on your table.

It is valuable as a beverage, in cooking, as cottage cheese—too valuable to waste, whether it comes thru your own separator or the separator at the creamery—too valuable to be thrown away, or fed to farm animals, if it can be used for human food.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mortimer, and their daughter, Miss Mary, are spending a few weeks in Hereford for Mrs. Mortimer's health and incidentally "prospecting". Mr. Mortimer formerly lived in Hereford during the year 1908, and will be remembered by many of our citizens who resided here at that time.

USED CARS AT A BARGAIN—
One 5-passenger Chalmers first-class order.
One 5-passenger Hupmobile, been used about 2500 miles; good as new. These cars cheap to turn quick.
See the New "Kismet" car—"every inch a car." \$1415.00 here
ARON D. COLLINS, Agent. 44-3f. pd.

Heard in Hereford
A certain Hereford merchant, much given to joking his customers, met his match lately. One of his customers—a ranchman—whose business demands so much of his time as to make him at times, rather neglectful of his personal appearance, was in the store recently. The merchant noticed a hole in his customer's boot, beneath which a hole had been worn in the sock; "Hey," he said, "you've quit wearing socks, have you?"

"No, I've got socks on all right, but I can't afford to even wear socks with holes in them," the customer replied.

"If I were as 'ood a grafter as you" the merchant shot back, "I'd give all my good looks."

"By Jinks, you'd be buying a awful cheap time" replied the ranchman.

Sprouted oats, cabbage, mangolds, should be used freely in winter.

Red Cross

The officers of the Red Cross committee met at the court house Tuesday night. Summerfield was recognized as an auxiliary to the local chapter, and Dimmitt having secured 100 members in their organization, was recognized as a branch of the local chapter.

There is an urgent call through the Red Cross for enormous quantities of surgical dressings, hospital garments, and knitted garments for our soldiers and the soldiers of our allies; they are depending on the Red Cross for these supplies. We are glad to see an opportunity to do this work voluntarily. Our boys are fighting for our freedom. We are prosperous and happy. We will not let them suffer or die for want of these supplies. Over three hundred of our ladies have volunteered to make up these garments. The local Red Cross calls on you to contribute monthly certain sums of money for a definite period of time, or you may make your full payment in advance if you prefer.

Everyone is expected to do his part in proportion to his ability. We know you will do it. When we see President Wilson we will tell him what you have done. Thank you. R. T. EVANS.

Red Cross News

All ladies working in the surgical dressing department are requested to bring their aprons, which aprons with blue and white wash water is used, to the Red Cross headquarters for sterilizing. The aprons should be made of a dark dress of wool or unbleached material. A head covering is necessary; this can be made of any white material and tied over the hair. In making this request the Chapter is striving to conform to the requirements made in the Red Cross Manual. Recent instructions from Headquarters emphasize the statement that "every woman who works on a piece of gauze should feel that the responsibility of some man's life rests with her."

Patterns and supplies for the work rooms are coming in rapidly, and will be ready for all organizations this week.

Every household in town who has any old linen table cloths, muslin, bed spreads, sheets, counterpanes, white rags, etc., is earnestly requested to wash and press them and notify Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, telephone 39, who will see that they are collected. These articles are needed almost as badly as dressings.

The Red Cross Bulletin says that the need of hospital garments and surgical dressings can not be over estimated. We do not ask for time to be spent in useless, unnecessary work; make seams flat and stitch neat edge so it will be sanitary; use competent stitchers; don't touch any body how to sew on the machine—time is too valuable for that; pick out some body who knows how to sew already.

KNITTED ARTICLES

Knitted articles are no longer sent abroad as the need is so great at home. Let me impress on all chapters to send all knitted articles as promptly as possible. Under no circumstance can knitted goods made by the Red Cross be sold.

Sweaters are greatly needed; next in order, socks; third, helmets. The

need of sweaters is far greater than any other knitted article. Muffler production is unnecessary at present. No net for knitting as pick-up work—rapid production is needed. Hereford chapter has sent out one hundred knitted pieces, among them thirty pairs of socks and twenty-two sweaters.

TEXAS PLAN FOR PURE BRED POULTRY INTRODUCTION

By C. M. EVANS, Chief Animal Industry Division, Extension Service, A. & M. College.

The State of Texas, on account of its variety of foods including corn, oats, milo, kafir and sorghum, as well as the common fowls raised by poultry, presents the greatest possibilities for economical poultry production. Because many farmers still possess mongrel stock, there is a great need for the introduction of improved strains. On account of the agricultural drought the past season, hundreds of thousands of birds were the normal shipment, have gone to the market and it is the desire of those responsible for poultry extension work that they be replaced with the best of the improved stock.

Looking toward the end steps have been taken to have improved stock introduced in the state. This necessitates co-operation between the bankers and the poultry raisers. In furtherance of this move, where bankers will furnish funds for the purchase of large shipments, the Extension Service of the A. & M. College will furnish a specialist to select the stock without cost, other than traveling expenses while outside of the state.

It is understood that the Extension Service will also assist the bankers in distributing the birds among the farmers in lots of 25 or more. Some bankers have agreed to call these birds to farmers' bank farmers' attention, the credit limit, at a reasonable rate of interest, with the privilege of paying for same with one-half the egg receipts each week. It is further understood where such a co-operative plan is under way, the Extension Service will give free special instructions by mail or by visitation. It is understood that the amount securing these birds will care for them according to scientific instructions and shall be known as special poultry demonstration.

The second section of this plan contemplates the furnishing of pure bred eggs in large quantities through the bankers or others, to communities able to ensure the stock. Such eggs will be secured from the before mentioned demonstrators as well as other poultry breeders within the state. It is understood also that this project will be financed in much the same way except that instead of being furnished with 25 or more hens, the demonstrator will be furnished with an incubator filled with eggs from improved stock and a modern colony brooder. For such eggs, arrangements for payment may be adjusted so as to come after the chickens have come to marketable age.

Before the cold weather of winter sets in with its raw winds and draughts portable houses should be constructed for the winter. A hog can stand a great deal, but appreciates shelter and protection from cold and such houses pay for themselves in the gains which the protected hogs make over those which are unprotected.

Patriotic Sale

Means Big Money Saved For You!

We believe it is patriotic at this day and time for all merchants to sell their goods as cheaply as possible.

We have the heaviest stock of goods on hand, that we have ever carried. We have some of the most attractive, as well as substantial furniture it has been our pleasure to show.

We have what you want and we expect to sell the most of our goods now on hand during the next thirty days. The biggest drive of furniture selling in our history is now in progress. It is not a matter of making money at this time—but to sell goods and reduce our big stock.

We have ten thousand feet of floor space stocked with Furniture, Rugs, Linoleum, etc., that will be sold at big reduction before Jan. 1st

WE HAVE ON HAND:

- A car load best Beds and Bed Springs.
- A car load, all styles, Hoosier Cabinets.
- A car load Rugs, Linoleum, etc.
- A car load all kinds Mattresses.
- A car load Dining Room Furniture.
- A car load Bed and Living Room Furniture.

DON'T FORGET WE SELL IT FOR LESS

E. B. Black Co.

The Big Store With the Little Price

THANKSGIVERS

We are, are you?



THANKFUL

THANKFULNESS

THANKFUL.—That so many people live in this day who are sacrificing all—even life itself, for the RIGHT and that "RIGHT SHALL PREVAIL" not only in the present, but in the future as well.

THANKFULNESS.—should be a large item in one's moral make-up and daily stock and trade.

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