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## FOURTH WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT

Case Seven Years Old Up For Trial Damages Awarded Plaintiff in Sum of \$2,940.00

The fourth week in the district court has been devoted to jury business, the oldest case on the civil docket, G. H. Porter vs the Pecos & Northern Texas Ry. Co., having been on trial the first three days of the week. Judge Jackson suspended court for Thanksgiving day and returned to his home in Amarillo Thursday morning, coming back to Hereford Friday morning.

There are just a few cases left on the docket at present and it is likely that court will adjourn some time next week. There is one more jury case to be tried but it will be tried with a picked up jury and no definite setting has been made yet.

The following cases have been disposed of since the last issue:

H. H. Hawkins vs L. T. Lester et al, suit for damages, jury trial and special issues answered favorable to the plaintiff, H. H. Hawkins.

G. H. Porter et al vs the P. & N. T. Ry. Co. Jury trial and special issues answered favorable to the plaintiff. The damages awarded plaintiff amount to \$2,940. This suit is for the alleged conversion of a car of household goods at Bovina, Texas, in January 1907, on account of a disagreement about freight rates.

Judge S. H. Madden of Amarillo, and Mr. Otis Trulove of Plainview, have been attending court here this week.

### GUNNER DERBYSHIRE



When L battery, Royal Horse artillery, was surprised and practically annihilated by the Germans, the one gun not put out of action was manned by Gunner Derbyshire and two other men, and they stuck gallantly to their post until they had silenced every gun in the German detachment and compelled the enemy to fall back. It was one of the bravest feats of the war so far.

The ranch home of Crusie Christopher, near Miami, was burned to the ground one night the past week. The occupants, fourteen in number, barely had time to escape in their night clothes and nothing was saved. No insurance was carried.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

### Panhandle Beats 'Em All

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tatman returned recently from Centril, Ohio, their former home. They spent a pleasant time visiting but he says they were glad to get back to the Panhandle. He further adds that we have beat the Iowa bunch on raising crops this year by a way yonder. The trouble, he thinks, with his Iowa friends is, that they have been told so many unreasonable tales about the Panhandle that they won't believe even an honest man like himself. "When I would tell them about the big irrigation wells," he said, "and the big crops we were raising, they would look at me with suspicion as much as to say, 'he's got 'em too.' And they imagine from their seeing the moving picture shows and reading dime novels that this part of the southwest, and especially all Texans, are a set of cut-throats and pistol-toters, who would shoot one down if he even looked like a tenderfoot. When I told them that this part of Texas was settled up with as civilized people as the best of their Iowans—in fact the best from many states—and the average citizen was a good and law-abiding citizen, they would give each other the wink. I told them," he continued, "about our fine school and well attended churches and Sunday Schools, our public buildings, and the way the people had to live in this section and they were surprised, for they had imagined that there were no schools, few preachers and that all the men wore hair on their breeches legs and the women all wore sombreros and rode astraddle of bucking bronchoes. And when I told them that there was but one place in the Panhandle where there was an open saloon and that the Panhandle was as big as the State of Illinois, they opened their eyes and hadn't shut them when I left."

### E. B. Black at the Picture Show

E. B. Black, head of the biggest furniture store in Hereford, was at the moving picture show Tuesday night for the first time. He wanted to get on the front seats with the little boys but his wife and daughter would not permit. He thought the men in the pictures were going to jump out in the audience, and when Jones poked his double artillery out the window and fired point-blank as it seemed, right towards him, he ducked. He enjoyed Norton and Florence but didn't like it much when Norton kept on trying to kiss the girl and her tangled up in the thread. And he could hardly keep his seat when the one-armed tramp broke in the door trying to catch the young wife with the money, and wanted to get in the stage to help the police land him. And he thought it sorter indecent-like for those kids to come out in the pictures with nothing but their swimming clothes on. He allowed they ought to keep behind the bushes in the creek. When his wife gets him under a little better control, she will bring him out again.

### Beats the Beets

Last year W. A. Doolittle planted a few rows of corn savor sugar beets and raised some good sized ones. This year, however, he beat the beets that he raised last year. He had only twelve rows one hundred and fifty feet long and raised four tons—four tons, mind you, not four bushels—and some of the largest weighed only 204 pounds. This is about one-eighth of an acre; hence on one acre he might have raised 32 tons. It is not impossible. The feeding value of the beet is good, serving both as a forage and as a grain. As a hog feed it cannot be excelled. It would be well for the farmers to investigate this beet.

FOR SALE—Two tons maize heads, also bundle maize, cane and kaffir. A. H. Elliston.

## BELGIAN MARKSMEN IN AMBUSH ALONG THE NETHE



### Bicycle and Car Collide

Last Saturday evening just at dusk, while J. A. Buckner was trying out a Ford, he was making a turn around the wagon of R. G. Sisk. At the same moment, his son, was coming around from another direction. Neither knew of the other and a collision occurred, the front wheel of the car striking the bicycle, smashing it up and throwing the boy to the ground. His head was caught under the front wheel and skidded along for several inches, enough to grind off a patch of hair and to abrade the skin. The car was stopped as quickly as possible and did not pass over the boy, who was soon on his feet, not hurt. If it had been an auto, he would likely have been run over and seriously hurt. No blame is attributed to Mr. Buckner for the accident.

### J. B. Johnson Dies

Last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock J. B. Johnson, a comparative stranger in Hereford, died after a long illness. He with his family came to Hereford some months ago from Arkansas and lived for a while at the Boone place on the creek, but recently moved into town. He had been a sufferer from tuberculosis and had come to the Plains with the hope of being benefited. His body was prepared for shipment back to his old home in Iowa at Guthrie Center. His son and brother came out to Hereford to assist the family in closing up their affairs and to accompany them on their sad returning journey. Shipment was made on yesterday afternoon's train. A short service was held conducted by Rev. W. M. Baker before the departure.

### MRS. LEONARD WOOD



Mrs. Leonard Wood, wife of the commander of the Department of the East, personally supervised the loading of the steamship Jason with the Christmas gifts that are being sent to the children of Europe by the people of the United States.

Agents Clovis Steam Laundry. Beene & Bennett.

### Propose to Forgo Christmas Trees

Some of the Sunday Schools have proposed to forego the pleasure of the usual Christmas trees this year and use the money usually spent for trees and decorations to make up a fund for the relief of the Belgian children. Other schools in the state have taken this step, the Sunday Schools at Calvert, Texas, having contributed \$150 up to this time and the fund is still growing. This would be a valuable lesson to teach the children. Let them each make a small contribution; dispense with the pleasure of a tree, thus denying themselves, and their gift would be a real sacrifice and a genuine pleasure. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto me." The Presbyterian Sunday School voted on the proposition last Sunday and other schools are likely to take the same view of the matter.

### Birthday Dinner

The home of Mrs. J. H. Bowers was the scene of a happy occasion Monday when a number of her friends unexpectedly arrived about eleven o'clock, laden with the fat of the land to celebrate the marking of another milestone in her life.

Mrs. Bowers was away from home at the time with a friend and upon her return at noon, she found the house filled with guests who seemed to be very much at home and had company dinner ready to serve.

A dainty guest book in charge of Mrs. T. M. Palmer, registered forty two present and each one present seemed to vie with the others to pass the time pleasantly. Music, conversation and needlework, as well as dishwashing, passed the day all too quickly. The only thing that marred the happiness of all, was the fact that Rev. Hedson and Mesdames Cogdell and Myrick were selfish with the "delicious home-made candy" which proved to be soft soap. As the shadows of evening lengthened, all departed to their homes, wishing Mrs. Bowers many happy returns of her natal day.

### One Who Was There

### Thanksgiving Football and Basket Ball

Hereford had double cause to be thankful yesterday especially the sport loving crowd of the high school. The first victory came when the football team laid it over the Vega visitors by a score of 27 to 7 in a well matched game on the local field. This was a return game for Veva, the Hereford team having visited their city two weeks ago and brought away a score of 27 to 0. The game here yesterday was well attended. The other reason that the high school is shouting was the news from Plainview that the Hereford girls had won the Thanksgiving basket ball game over Plainview by a score of 42 to 21.

Mrs. Tom Parks, an esteemed resident of Canadian, died one day last week. She was twenty-two years old, the daughter of Wm. Lemons and wife, and had only been married since last December.

### Off to California

For the third time the Ellison families are going to the Golden State. J. B. Ellison left with the car of household goods last week, and Tuesday, the families took the west bound train for their new home at Santa Rosa, California. In the party were Mrs. A. H. Ellison and children and Mrs. J. B. Ellison and children. A. H. Ellison will remain here for a few weeks closing up some business matters before he departs. They are going to a different part of the state than they did in their previous trips and they may like it so well that they will make permanent citizens of the coast. If not, the Panhandle will try to make room for their return in a couple of years.

### PRINCESS MARY



Princess Mary, daughter of the king of England, here photographed in her first long dress and with her hair up, is doing her share in the relief work with the rest of the women of Great Britain.

### Women to Meet for Hereford Club

The women of the community will meet at the Presbyterian church, Wednesday, December 5, for the purpose of organizing the "Women's Hereford Club." The object of this club is patriotic and civic. They will undertake to care for the cemetery and to encourage the beautification of the town. The object is entirely worthy and the club should have the hearty support of every woman in the county.

A prize that is the talk of the town. A red Cedar Chest given away at the Corner Drug Store.

## A "PICTURE DAY" FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Young Ladies of Wilson-McLean Literary Society Will Raise Money by Selling Magazines.

Because of the fact that there are practically no pictures to adorn or to relieve the walls of the High School rooms, the Wilson-McLean Literary Society has adopted a movement by which it hopes to provide the department with a number of photographs, reproductions of the world's most famous paintings of selected and appropriate subjects.

Saturday, December 5, has been set aside as "Picture Day" for Hereford. On that day a young lady from the High School will call at your home or place of business, soliciting subscriptions or renewals to one or both of the following magazines: The Woman's Home Companion and the American Magazine. Both periodicals are read very widely and have been at the top of the list of standard magazines for many years.

The securing of pictures of the desired type, because of both their ornamental and educational value, is a movement of interest, not only to the students and teachers, but to everyone interested in the forward and progressive school movements. The hearty cooperation and patronage of the public will be sincerely appreciated by the girls of the High School.

### Dr. Rucker Entertains Saloon Crowd

Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Rucker had the pleasure of entertaining the entire company of players with "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at their country ranch home fourteen miles from Hereford. Some of the members of the company had been with Dr. Rucker when he himself was in the show business. The leading man and one of the ladies were members of his company when the woman was a small girl. They were taken out via autos and entertained with a sumptuous table spread such as only a prosperous rancoman could serve and were returned in time for their evening performance. The members of the company report that they had not been so royally treated in a long time as they had been by Dr. and Mrs. Rucker.

### Off to Plainview

Two or three cars carried the Hereford basket ball team to Plainview Thanksgiving morning. Leslie Neal, a popular young ranchman with his big tonneau, was host to all that could pile in his car, and Hon. Elmer Dameron, another popular young man who owns a car, had the rest of them in his machine. They made an early start for the city where there's "Nothing Shallow But the Water," but the wire from there late yesterday afternoon announced that the White Faces had scared their opponents out of plain view. The score at the end of the game stood 43 to 21. Of these, N'Anna Elliott made 30 successful throws for the Hereford team.

### Seips Car Load of Hogs

A car load of fat porkers were shipped this week to the Fort Worth market. Forty-two were furnished by Henry Scheutte and thirty-nine by P. D. Vaughn. Scheutte's lot averaged 221 pounds and had been on feed for eight weeks. Their ration consisted of alfalfa, barley and maize, all raised on the McDonald irrigated farm. Vaughn's hogs were also raised on alfalfa and finished on home grown grain.

Thos. Hoover, a young attorney of Canadian, Texas, died suddenly at Wichita, Kansas, last week, while there on business.

"OCEANS OF WATER."



## News from the Churches

**Presbyterian Christian Endeavor.**  
Following is the program for Sunday Nov. 29:

- Missionary Meeting.**  
Subject: Missionary Heroes and Heroines.  
Scripture Reading: II Cor. 4:1-18.
- Song 223.
  - Prayer—Nelia Carter and Rev. W. N. Baker.
  - What is there in Missions to inspire Heroism?—Glenn Boardman.
  - Song 178.
  - Give an Incident showing a Missionary's Courage in the Foreign Field—Nelia Carter.
  - Tell the Life of a Missionary—Velma Green.
  - Song 116.
  - What is the Missionary's Message?—Rev. Baker.
  - Missionary Progress in the Past Year—Roy Robertson.
  - Song 216.
  - What Thoughts Inspire the Missionary in the Midst of Suffering—Harley Green.
  - Leader's Talk.  
Leader—Mary Bradley.

**Christian Endeavor Program**

- Sunday November 29, 3 p. m.
- The most Helpful Poem I Know Ps. 96:1-13.
  - Ten Minute Devotional Service Conducted by Superintendent.
  - Short Sketch of Longsellow's Life—Marjorie Dameron.
  - Sentence Prayers of Thankfulness.
  - Song.
  - "The Children's Hour"—Superintendent.
  - Short Sketch of the Life of Wm. Cullen Bryant—Lucille Weems.
  - "To a Waterfowl"—Lora Kibbe.
  - About Poems—Daniel Bell.
  - In what way can these poems make us better Christians—Dorothy Ramsey.
  - Each member repeat their favorite poem.
  - China II—Avis Wilson.
  - Prayer.
  - Song.
  - Verse of Scripture repeated by all.
  - Business.
  - Mizpah.  
Leader—Corine Jewell.

**The Junior Missionary Society**

- Song.  
Prayer.  
Roll Call. Respond with name Missionary.  
Payment of dues.  
Minutes.  
Pacific Coast Japanese Sketches—Connie Scrimfisher.  
The New Zulu Bible—William Black.  
A Beautiful Hawaiian Custom—Hazel O'Brien.  
The Opening Rose—Annie Fitzhugh Parker.  
Breaking the Pinat—Jack Murphy.  
God measures our work for Him by one simple measure—not by how large it is, or how long it takes us to do it, or how much it is noticed, but by the love for Him that makes us do it—Press Supt.

**B. Y. P. U. Program.**

- Subject: "Cuba's Cry."  
President in charge.  
Song.  
Prayer by Ethel Fuqua.  
Business.  
Leader—Grace Wilson.  
Song.  
Prayers—Earl Wilson, Lemuel Carlyle and Dot Owen.  
Scripture Lesson, Isaiah 55, read by Mr. Casteel and Mr. Jesse.  
"The Country and People"—Miss Dameron.  
"How the Missions are Established."—Mr. Wood.  
"The Work of the Missionary Pastor."—Mrs. Hodges.  
"The Confidence the People Have in Him."—Cecil Gilliland.  
Special Music—Ruth Myrick.  
"The Entrusted Letter."—Willie Owen.  
"Our Work in Cuba."—Ralph Rutherford.  
"Cuban Converts Genuine."

Juanita Caylor.  
"Our Work in Cuba."—Bro. Farmer.

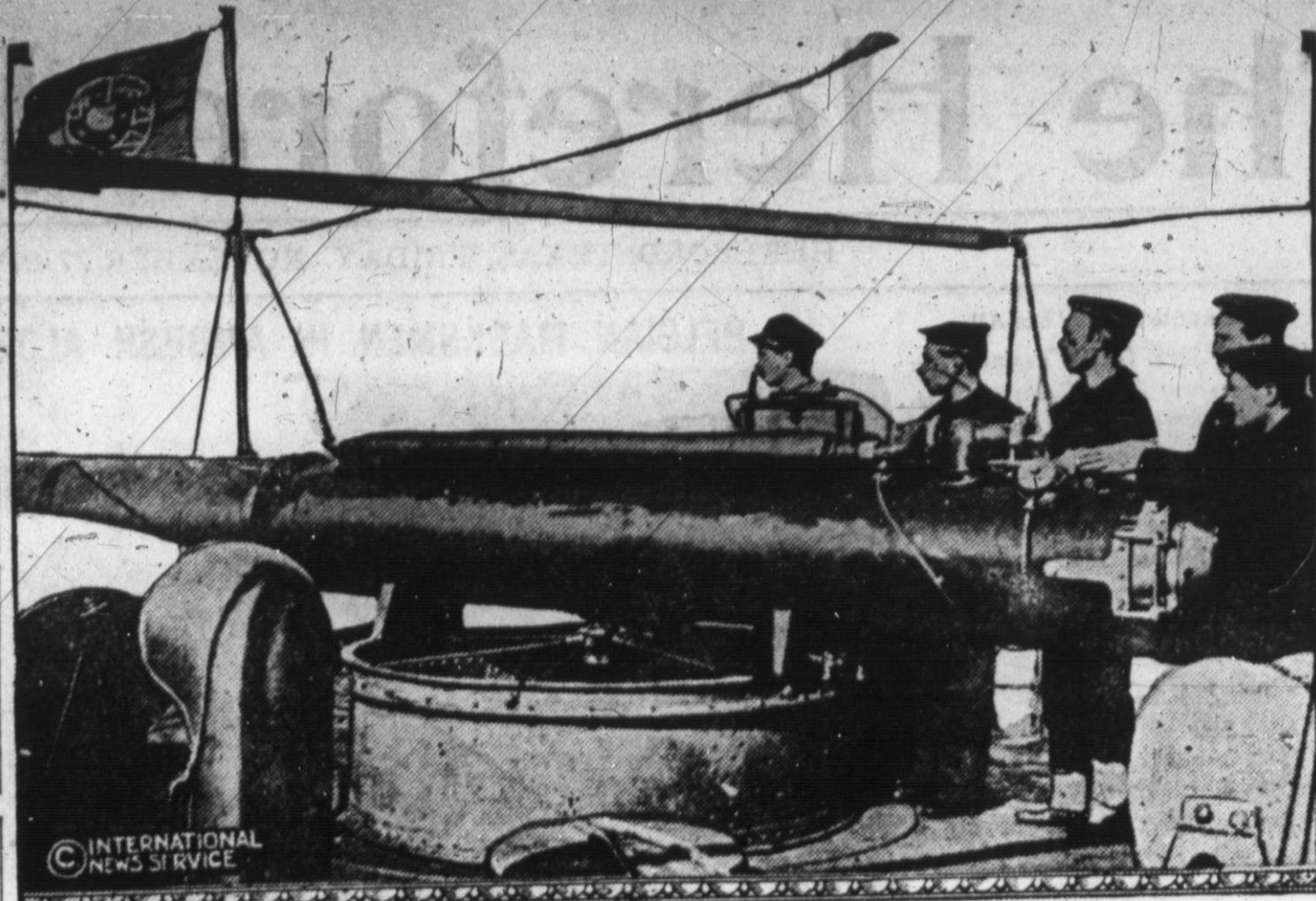
Closing Prayer—Mr. Burkhalter.

- Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program.**  
Song Service.  
Scripture Reading, Acts 25:9-19—Francis Wilson.
- Talk by Four Juniors. (1) Gladys Slicks—Paul in Jerusalem; (2) Olive Wilson—Barnabas Paul's Friends; (3) Dee Owens—Paul's Special Work; (4) Emma Richards—Paul's Preaching.
  - Roll Call.
  - Song—Mary Slicks—Helen Lambert—Gladys Slicks.
  - Map Talk—Mrs. Rayzor.
  - Prayer—Mattie Mounts.
  - Repeat the 1st Psalm.  
Leader—Alford Farmer.

**Lutheran Ladies Organize**

The ladies of the Lutheran church have organized a ladies aid. The meetings will be held every fourth week on Thursday. Mrs. Schmidt was elected president and secretary, Mrs. Frye, treasurer. The next meeting, December 3, will be held at the home of Mrs. McDonald.

## ON BOARD A PORTUGUESE DESTROYER



Gun training on board one of the destroyers of the Portuguese navy. The flag of the Portuguese republic is shown.

**Cake Hauling and Listing**

W. T. Smith is anxious to haul your cake or do your listing. See him or phone 87. 43-4t

**Sick Two Years With Indigestion.**

"Two years ago I was greatly benefited through using two or three bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. S. A. Keller, Elida, Ohio. "Before taking them I was sick for two years with indigestion." Sold by all dealers.—Advertisement.

**People Who Have Money**

John D. Rockefeller has been assailed with criticism from every human view point by people who have very little or no money and who would like very much to have some of John D's. And people are criticising him now, even while he is enacting the role of an angle of mercy in financing an expedition to relieve the suffering millions of starving Belgians.

The former Miss Helen Gould, now Mrs. Shepard, once remarked that she had to employ nearly a score of secretaries whose duties were nothing else than making response to appeals for individual aid. When these replies were received, Miss Gould doubtless was censured as a heartless, cruel, selfish woman.

We would like to ask critics of Rockefeller and other men who have accumulated great wealth, how much they give to charity or other good causes in proportion to their financial worth? How many of them do even a little part of what they could do?

Perhaps nobody has the remotest idea of the extent of Rockefeller's benefactions or those of other rich men, who doubtless give millions away while we hold back the pennies we might bestow and try to ease our conscience with criticism.

Rockefeller's dollars may be "tainted" but they are succoring the hungry and naked just the same; and we should give him at least credit for what our eyes may witness.—Daily Oklahoman.

**Rent Your Property.**

If you have desirable vacant houses to rent, advertise them in the Want Ads. No charges made if not rented. 35tf

**Will You Get Your Part?**

Bluntly put, What are you doing to sell the man who is getting \$1.10 for his wheat?

What are you doing to sell the men getting two billions for their corn?

Consider the harness factories working three shifts, twenty-four hours a day;

The blanket factories with double shifts;

Shoe factories with their million dollar orders;

Woolen weavers paying their men thousands in extra time;

Underwear factories trying to make the day 25 hours instead of 24.

All this cash will promptly live every channel of trade.

Americans don't hoard money. They are NOT good savers.

They ARE good spenders. Money!

TIGHT! 'Twas never looser.

Our general average per capita was \$33. It is now \$36. Since the reserve banks opened on the 15th, it will be even greater.

If Americans were misers that wouldn't mean much; but they are the greatest change hustlers on this globe. Are you keeping pace with them?

When all this crop money, this extra wage money, and reserve bank money trickles into the channels of trade, it will create such a flood tide of selling business and buying business as never before faced America.

DON'T YOU KNOW that in about two months things will be literally HUMMING? That every artery of trade will be throbbing with life all around you?

BUT DROP THE TELESCOPE! Forget foreign affairs. Look right around you and you will see the richest country of buyers on earth.

Our farm products yearly exceed 8 billions—(your imagination will have to work overtime to even guess how much that is.)

Our one hundred million population is our one best market. Our financial condition is the best now existing among all world countries.

And that is logically the one world market to concentrate vigorously upon.

Two months crop money will have been paid. As the one producing country, wages will soar.

In fact, by two months everything will have loosened up and let cut into a stride never equalled in our business.

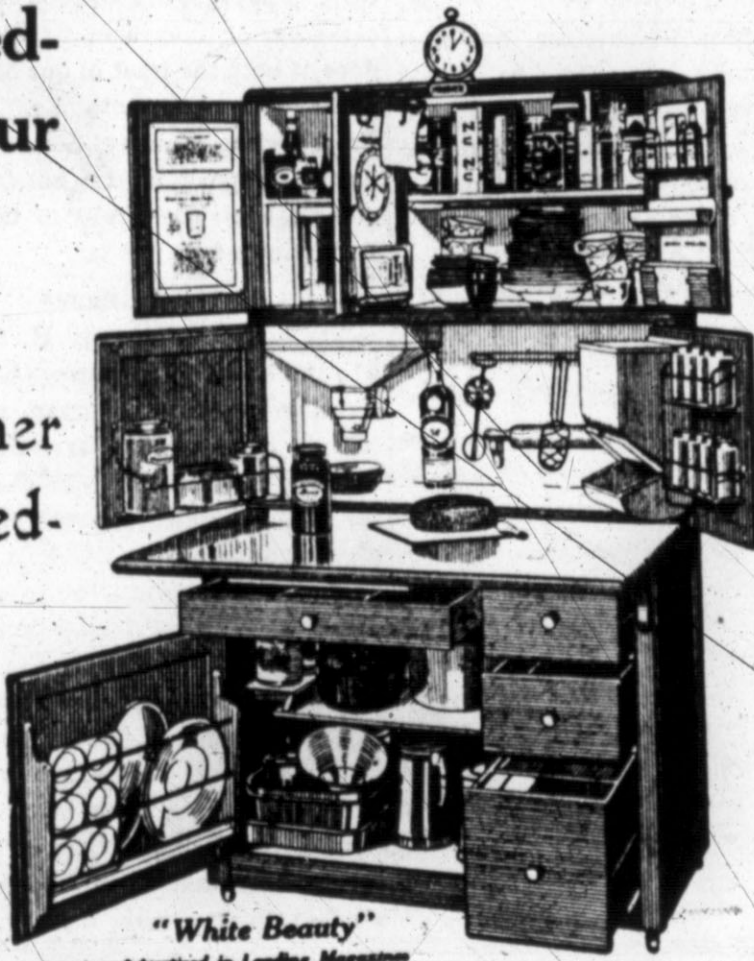
Visualize ahead to that date and that state of greater and greatest business, and remember that the great way to be an active part and participant THEN is to play an active part and participate NOW.—Contributed.

W. H. Martin of Bovina, was in Hereford Wednesday on business.

# For Your Wife's CHRISTMAS

Count the Needless Steps Your Wife Takes Every Day

You can save her most of this needless walking by giving her a real labor saving machine this CHRISTMAS



Get her the most useful gift a woman ever received—a

## A Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet SAVES MILES OF STEPS

Last year 20,000 men gave Christmas Hoosier Cabinets to their wives. This year the number will be greater.

You get the low cash price

This is particularly fortunate this Christmas. It enables you to make a useful, economical gift that will give your wife the greatest possible pleasure without missing the money it costs.

The Hoosier has 40 labor saving conveniences, 17 of which are new and exclusive. You can't find its equal anywhere. We won't try to give details here, for you must see it

to appreciate it.

The fact that 700,000 women use Hoosiers—more than all others combined—means something.

The fact that we will gladly give your money back if your wife isn't delighted—means more.

We have a limited number of New Model "White Beauties"

These have a pure white finish inside. Absolutely sanitary and 40 labor saving features. They will go quickly and we can't get more before Christmas, so we invite you to come early.

**E. B. Black Co.**  
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING—HEREFORD, TEXAS

Stoves!

Stoves!

Stoves!

The weather man says we will have a very cold winter. It behooves everybody to get ready for it.

Our line of

## Garland and Round Oak Heaters

Cannot be excelled. They afford that satisfaction you want in a stove and they have the lasting qualities.

Let us show you about our stoves and hundreds of other useful articles in our full and complete

## Hardware Line

**Garrison Bros.**

Make Our Store Your Headquarters



**RUSSIAN CAVALRY PENETRATING GALICIA**



This photograph shows a great body of the so-called irresistible cavalry of Russia crossing a broad plain in central Galicia.

**THE NAZARETH SHOP**

[The following striking poem was written by Bishop Robert McIntyre, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who in early life was a brickmason, and never lost his sympathy for the laboring man. At the time of his death he was the resident Bishop of his Church in Oklahoma City.]

I wish I had been His apprentice, to see Him each morning at seven,  
As He tossed His gray tunic far from Him, the Master of earth and of Heaven;  
When He lifted the lid of His work chest, and opened His carpenter's kit,  
And looked at His chisels and augers, and took the bright tools out of it;  
While He gazed at the rising sun, tinting the dew on the opening flowers,  
And smiled as he thought of His Father, whose love floods this planet of ours;  
When he fastened His apron about Him, and put on his workman's cap,  
And grasped the smooth haft of His hammer, to give the bent woodwork a tap;  
Saying, "Lad, let us finish this ox yoke, the farmer must put in his crop."  
Oh, I wish I had been His apprentice and worked in the Nazareth shop!  
Some wish they had been on Mount Fabor, to harken unto His high speech,  
When the quick and the dead were beside Him, He holding communion with each;  
Some wish they had heard the soft accents that stilled the wee child's alarms,  
When He won the sweet babes from their mothers and folded them fast in His arms.  
Some wish they had stood by the Jordan, when Holy John greeted him there,  
And had seen the white dove of the Spirit fly down o'er the path of His prayer.  
Some wish they had seen the Redeemer, when into the basin He poured  
The water, and, girt with a towel, the servant of all was the Lord.  
But for me, if I had the choosing, oh, this would them all overtop:  
To work all day steady beside Him of old in the Nazareth shop.  
Those Heavenly wonders would fright me, I cannot approach to them yet;  
But, oh, to have seen Him when toiling, His forehead all jeweled with sweat;  
To hear Him say softly, "My helper now bring me the level and rule;"  
To have Him bend over and teach me the use of each artisan's tool.  
To hear Him say, "This is a sheep gate to keep in the wandering flock;"  
Or, "This is a stout oaken house sill. I hope it will rest on a rock"  
And sometimes His mother might bring us our meal in the mid-summer heat,  
Outspread it so simply before us, and bid us to sit down and eat.  
Then, with both of us silent before Him, the blessed Messiah would stop  
To say grace, and a tremulous glory would fill all the Nazareth shop.

**A. A. Goats Dies Suddenly**

This community was shocked Sunday night to learn of the sudden death of A. A. Goats, who with his family had been living on a ranch in this county. He had not been well for a day or so and was brought to town Sunday afternoon and was at the home of his friend J. S. Sandifer, but was still up and took the evening meal. After supper, he lay down to rest and while talking to his family and friends, he exclaimed, "I'm dying." Before assistance could be given he had expired. He was a brother of Lee Goats with whom he was joined in the stock business. He leaves a wife and a small son.

The following sketch was handed in for publication:

Anthony Alonzo Goats, was born near Brownwood, Brown county, Texas, December 21, 1865. When quite a young man he traveled west, coming first to the Panhandle and later pushing on through New Mexico and Arizona. Going back to Belcher, Montague county, he met and married Miss Alice Golston on February 5, 1894. They then moved to the Indian Territory, and three years later going to Conton, Runnels county, Texas, his old home, where they lived for 15 years. In September 1912 they settled in the northern part of Deaf Smith county, living there until the present time.

He was charitable to the poor and needy, always a peaceful citizen, a loving husband and an indulgent father.

The remains were prepared for burial by Undertaker O. E. Thomas and the interment made at the City Cemetery Tuesday morning. Rev. Henson, of the Methodist church held a short service at the residence and which was concluded at the grave. Mrs. P. L. Johnson of Amarillo, a sister of the deceased, came over to attend the funeral, as also did Mr. Sandifer, a brother of Mr. J. S. Sandifer.

Don't say drug store say Corner Drug Store. 14f

Five 9x12 Axminster Rugs only \$18.75. E. B. Black Co. 39f

A guaranteed sewing machine for \$20.00. E. B. Black Co. 39f

We may not be the nearest to you, but we will come the nearest pleasing you. Betts & Clark 14f

Your boy will watch for his copy of the "American Boy" with interest; no better paper for them. Price \$1.00 per year. Davis Elliott will accept your subscriptions. 38f

Dr. Presly of the firm of Drs. Presly and Swearingin, specialists, Roswell, N. M., will be in Hereford at Dr. W. A. Price's office on the 12, 13 and 14 of each month to do eye, ear, nose and throat practice and to fit glasses. 11f

Mrs. McClain's Experience With Croup.

"When my boy, Ray, was small he was subject to croup, and I was always alarmed at such times. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy proved far better than any other for this trouble. It always relieved him quickly. I am never without it in the house for I know it is a positive cure for croup," writes Mrs. W. R. McClain, Blairville, Pa. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

**Scotty Drives an Auto**

San Diego Exposition, Nov. 21.

Dear Herb:—

I never did care much for riding around in these so-called beach chairs. They make me feel like an invalid; when I see a white-garbed woman approaching I want to stick out my tongue and say, "See, I am much better this morning, Nurse; I don't think I need any more medicine." And if you are fortunate enough to have a good looker by your side you can't pat her hand and tell her how the war broke out—and other things—because right through the back of your head you can feel the watery eyes of a pusy-footed attendant boring; and you can't forget his diaphone-like gas which no whisper escapes; and you know that when he has roobed you on the drice he will still be touching nss cap with one hand and holding out the other for the rest of your roll.

No, I can't say that I'm nuts about the antiquated roller-chair—but I am about the Electricetts that they have at the San Diego Exposition. I was walking along the Prado this morning when I saw approaching me a great, big, comfy rattan chair occupied by a couple of nice, motherly old ladies. "Well, I suppose they have to have those blamed push-chairs here," I reflected. "Some people like 'em, and the chair men have to make a living. They must have a dwarf pushing this one."

Just then a lady-like electric horn tooted and I turned hurriedly around to see who had the temerity to drive an automobile on the grounds. There was none. The chair rolled noiselessly past me, and nobody was pushing it! I rubbed my eyes and followed it. I felt like the Chinaman who saw a trolley car for the first time—"No pushee; no pullee; but go like hellee allee samee."

It was Bunnie's eleventh birthday and I thought I'd give her a treat. I found the Electricette station and rented one. You know I'm an expert with preambulators. Well, driving this Electricette is just as simple and lots less fatiguing. But I made one fatal mistake: I let Bunnie run it. She would be in it yet—at a dol. ar an hour—if she had not gone to sleep at the switch along about bed time. At that, I couldn't blame her.

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**EUROPEAN WAR SHATTERS KING COTTON'S THRONE**

**FLEECY STAPLE MUST PAY RANSOM INTO THE COFFERS OF WAR.**

**Nation Rings With Cries of Stricken Industry.**

By Peter Radford,  
Lecturer Sabon's Farmers' Union.

King Cotton has suffered more from the European war than any other agricultural product on the American continent. The shells of the belligerents have burst over his throne, frightening his subjects and shattering his markets; and, panic-stricken, the nation cries out "God save the king."

People from every walk of life have contributed their mite toward rescue work. Society has daheed before the king; milady has decreed that the family wardrobe shall contain only cotton goods; the press has plead with the public to "buy a bale"; bankers have been formulating holding plans; congress and legislative bodies have deliberated over relief measures; statesmen and writers have grown eloquent expounding the inalienable rights of "His Majesty" and presenting schemes for preserving the financial integrity of the stricken staple, but the sword of Europe has proved mightier than the pen of America in fixing value upon this product of the sunny south. Prices have been bayoneted, values riddled and markets decimated by the battling hosts of the eastern hemisphere until the American farmer has suffered a war loss of \$400,000,000 and a bale of cotton brave enough to enter an European port must pay a ransom of half its value or go to prison until the war is over.

**Hope of the Future Lies in Co-operation.**

The Farmers' Union, through the columns of the press, wants to thank the American people for the friendship, sympathy and assistance given the cotton farmers in the hour of distress and to direct attention to co-operative methods necessary to permanently assist the marketing of all farm products.

The present emergency presents as grave a situation as ever confronted the American farmer and from the viewpoint of the producer, would seem to justify extraordinary relief measures, even to the point of bending the constitution and straining business rules in order to lift a portion of the burden off the backs of the farmer; for unless something is done to check the invasion of the war forces upon the cotton fields, the pathway of the European pestilence on this continent will be strewn with mortgaged homes and famine and poverty will stalk over the southland, filling the highways of industry with refugees and the bankruptcy court with prisoners.

All calamities teach us lessons and the present crisis serves to illuminate the frailties of our marketing methods and the weakness of our credit system, and out of the financial anguish and travail of the cotton farmer will come a volume of discussion and a mass of suggestions and finally a solution of this, the biggest problem in the economic life of America; if, indeed, we have not already laid the foundation for at least temporary relief.

**More Pharoahs Needed in Agriculture.**

Farm products have no credit and perhaps can never have on a permanent and satisfactory basis unless we build warehouses, cold storage plants, elevators, etc., for without storage and credit facilities the south is compelled to dump its crop on the market at harvest time. The Farmers' Unions in the cotton producing states have for the past ten years persistently advocated the construction of storage facilities. We have built during this period 2,000 warehouses with a capacity of approximately 4,000,000 bales and looking backward the results would seem encouraging, but looking forward, we are able to house less than one-third of the crop and warehouses without a credit system lose 90 per cent of their usefulness. The problem is a gigantic one—too great for the farmer to solve unaided. He must have the assistance of the banker, the merchant and the government.

In production we have reached the high water mark of perfection

in the world's history, but our marketing methods are most primitive. In the dawn of history we find agriculture plowing with a forked stick but with a system of warehouses under governmental supervision that made the Egyptians the marvel of civilization, for who has not admired the vision of Joseph and applauded the wisdom of Pharaohs for storing the surplus until demanded by the consumer, but in this age we have too many Josephs who dream and not enough Pharaohs who build.

**RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT**

**The Common Carriers Ask for Relief—President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to Their Needs.**

The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the co-operation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet is apparent to all. In their general discussion the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the Federal Government and the forty-eight states acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The President recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The confidence was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the President is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-operate.

These are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction, and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the President has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

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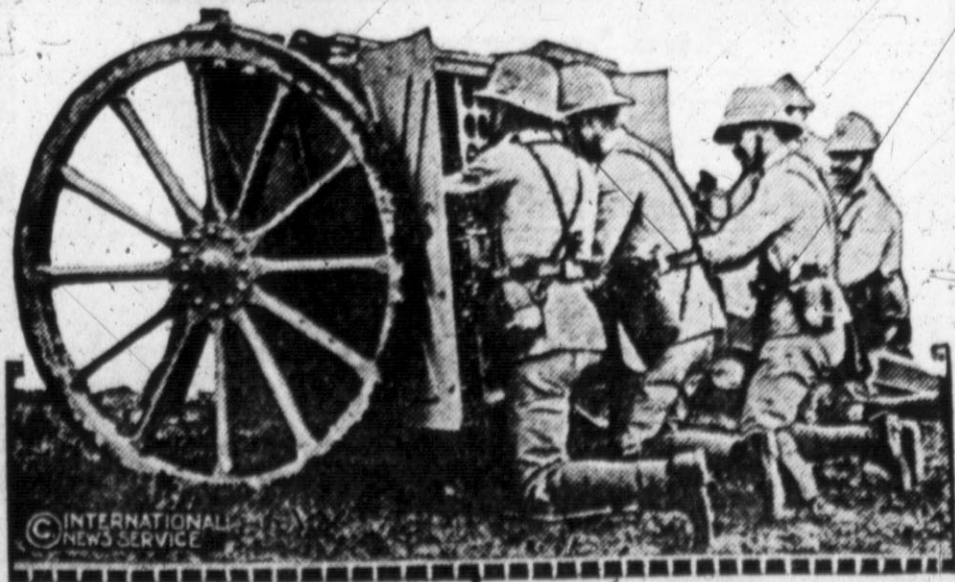
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**EAST BOUND**

No. 118 ..... Lv. 7:12 a. m.  
No. 114 ..... " 2:40 p. m.

Mr. LeHay of Rogers, Texas, has been in the city this week on business.

Uncle Jno. W. Gordon is up from his ranch this week and is staying in Hereford.

Miss Mattie Woodburn is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with friends at Lockney.

W. M. Lay of Amarillo, has been here this week closing up some business in regard to land.

M. Dickson and C. W. Harrison of Farwell, were business visitors in Hereford last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Caylor of Happy, have been in the city this week visiting relatives and friends.

Don't fail to see the two-reel Keystone comedy, "His Trysting Place" at the Star Theater, Monday, November 30.

Jno. W. Puckett and Dr. S. P. Vineyard of Amarillo, were here here Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mr. Smith, who lives northeast of town, left yesterday for Ohio to visit his mother whom he has not seen for thirteen years.

Sensible man: A. N. Gamble traded his auto for a thresher the other day and has quit joy riding for the harvest field.

W. R. Evans came down with the last excursion with a bunch of prospectors for the Littlefield country. Some of them bought.

See that funny guy, Chas Chaplin, Monday, November 30, at the Star Theater, in a special two-reel Keystone comedy, "His Trysting Place"

Geo. Caylor made a trip to Colorado recently and on returning brought some farmers to whom he sold some Littlefield shallow water land.

The football team and a few friends, men and women, from Vega, were here yesterday to play and witness the Thanksgiving game on the local field.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and son Ralph, came over Wednesday afternoon from Canyon and spent the night. They returned early Thursday morning in their Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Norton of Quanah, Texas, came in Tuesday to visit for a few days with the Norton family. Mr. Norton is a brother of R. H. Norton and Mrs. Norton is a sister of Mrs. R. H. Norton.

Mrs. H. H. Hawkins, Miss Belle Woodburn, Miss Hortense Russel and Mr. Carl Cockrell, went over to Amarillo Thursday to visit with friends, and Miss Russell with home folks.

W. E. Neal will leave this week for Illinois, where he will assist his son in loading out a lot of fine horses for their ranch at Dawn. It is their purpose to open a large stock farm for the raising of fine horses.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sellars are making their home for the present at Tascosa, Oldham county, Texas. This town, tho yet few in inhabitants, is one of the oldest, if not the oldest settled places in the Panhandle.

Misses Irene Carter and Greer Leech of Amarillo, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Jennie Thompson and Mrs. Alex Thompson. A sumptuous turkey dinner was served yesterday at Mother Thompson's home.

Sam Simpson of Wichita, Kansas, representing the Hart-Paer Engine Company, was here this week on business. Mr. Simpson is an old timer of the Panhandle having lived in the old days at Memphis, Hall county, where he helped to pioneer for a number of years. His visit to Hereford was also a pleasure, being a relative of the Elliotts. He spent the evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott, talking over past days of their "Old Kentucky Home" the state of their nativity.

**Thanksgiving at Hereford**

The day was properly spent in the city yesterday. The stores were closed for a greater part of the day.

Friends gathered in the home of friends to partake of each other's hospitality; games, hunting and outings were enjoyed in the afternoon and parties were arranged for evening. At ten o'clock in the morning a Thanksgiving service was held at the Methodist church. This was a union service, Rev. R. E. L. Farmer of the Baptist church preaching the sermon.

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**Dairy Farming a Science**

Articles Written by Men Who Know

Number 3

**Care of the Stable**

In order to make the best butter you must start with the stable itself. This should be kept as clean as possible at all times, and particular care taken to clean it and bed down the stalls half an hour or more before milking time. If possible the bedding should be sprinkled with water to lay the dust. It will not be necessary to make it wet, just a slight sprinkling will be sufficient.

When cows are kept in crowded and unclean stables with but little fresh air, sanitary milk cannot be expected.

When kept under unsanitary conditions for any length of time the animals become unhealthy, and even where they themselves are not diseased, the milk as soon as drawn, absorbs the unclean atmosphere of the stable, which readily spoils it for either domestic or commercial purposes.

The liquid and solid excrements of the stable are teeming with various fermentive bodies. The air is filled with dust particles which contain ferment and fermentable substances, and as soon as the milk is drawn it is contaminated.

In order to keep the stable in a wholesome condition, a liberal amount of bedding and absorbents should be used. In localities where straw cannot be obtained, sawdust, shavings, peat and other material are used. In addition, a small amount of land plaster or gypsum will be found valuable for deodorizing the stable.

Gypsum can be used at the rate of about a half a pound per day for each animal, and is sprinkled in the stall and trenches.

Lime in any other form than the sulphate is not suitable for use in stables. Instead of absorbing the odors, quick lime and slaked lime decompose the refuse materials, producing more odors. Lime sulphate or land plaster can usually be procured at about \$5 per ton and is, in addition to the deodorizing pro-

erties, a valuable fertilizer. When added to the manure, it increases its value by preventing unnecessary fermentation and loss of ammonia.

A cow is nothing but a very peculiar factory into which is taken the raw stuffs and from which she turns out a highly finished product. Everything she needs to make the most output is an important cog and if omitted she fails to do perfect work. Don't forget this. She must have every comfort. She must not be exposed.

The average cow quarters on the general farm are too small and too poorly lighted to be comfortable for cows that are expected to make a profit. The idea that anything will do to shelter cows during bad weather is wrong. Neither will anything in the way of night stabling do, during the brisk nights of late spring and early fall. While it is advantageous to keep cows up during inclement weather and feed in the stanchion or stall, it is not a good plan to pamper in weather when the sunshine and air will do them good.

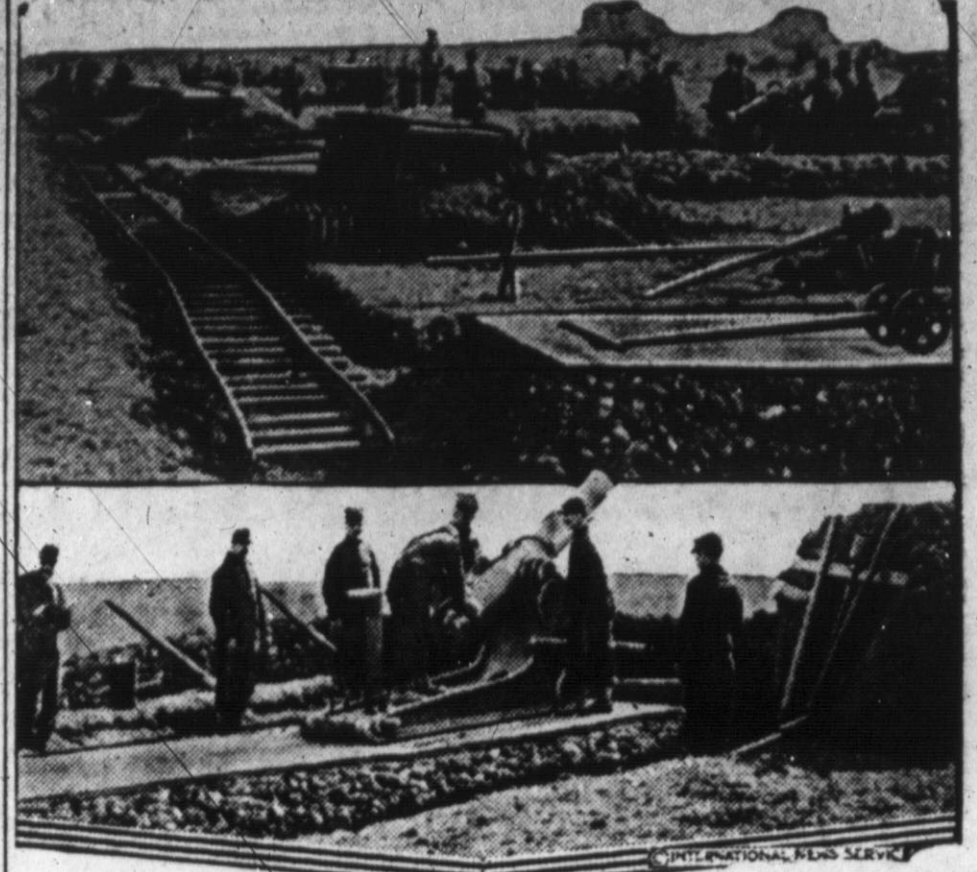
Health above all things should be perfect in a dairy cow.

Foul air in the stable, wet and nastiness in the gutter or at the heels of the cows, accumulations of filthy lack of sunshine in the stable and want of air will above all things bring on tuberculosis in cattle. True it is often transmitted from one cow to another for it is contagious, but the conditions mentioned are those in which it thrives and breeds and from which it is hard to stamp out.

It is not necessary to build expensive barns and sheds to care for the dairy herd rightly. On most every barn there is sufficient roof room. The trouble is that it is not floored properly, the room is wasted and it is not kept strictly sanitary.

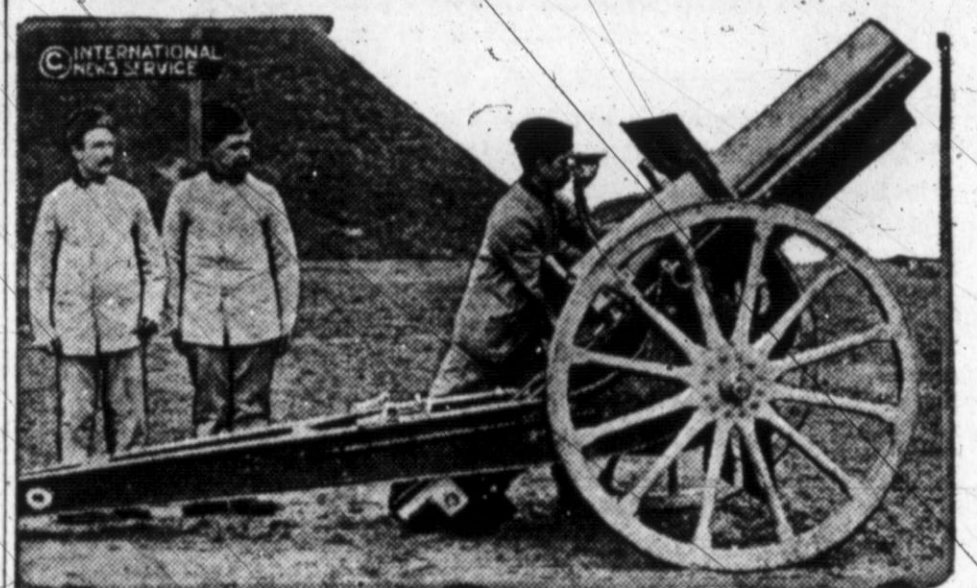
Cows with caked manure on their flanks show a lack of bedding and proper stalling. Given bedding and the right sort of gutter behind them they need not be dirty flanked and thus help pollute their milk.

**HOW THEY FIGHT AROUND VERDUN**



First pictures showing the scene of the fighting that has been raging around Verdun almost since the beginning of the war. They picture the French field guns on their cement bases and the hastily constructed railroad tracks on which these great engines of destruction are brought to their positions.

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The ever-ready wit of Winston Churchill has greatly enhanced his popularity on the public platform. And his ability is shown in his dealing with interrupters, rude and otherwise. On one occasion, when addressing a large public meeting, he was frequently disturbed by a man shouting "Liar! liar!" Mr. Churchill bore with him for a time, but eventually broke off his speech to remark, in the gentlest accents: "If the gentleman at the back of the hall who is so anxious that this audience should know his name will write it down on a slip of paper and hand it to the chairman, instead of bawling it at the top of his voice, he would save himself a lot of trouble." Such a reprimand was too much for the interrupter, who made a hasty exit.

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Q.—Matthew 11:21, 22. Please explain how it can be more tolerable for Tyre and Sidon than for Bethsaida if these nations are going to an eternity of torture. (E. J. G.)

Answer.—To speak of these nations as going to an eternity of torture is to assert that which is not true. The idea of incarnate spirits being plagued by devils in some distant infernal abode is an idea which has neither Scripture, reason nor fact to support it. It is an invention of the past ages of darkness. We much prefer to take the inspired prophet's words (Ezekiel 16), and the corroboration of them in the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 11:21, 22), and by such get an understanding of the matter. The Day of Judgment has not yet come, so the tolerable times are still future. The word "judgment" means trial or testing and a decision associated with it. The Day of Judgment is the world's trial day. Just as the present time is the trial day of the Church, God will neither judge nor condemn anyone who is ignorant, but He will provide knowledge as a basis upon which to form His decision; this will be a knowledge of the truth. As the people of Sodom did not have this knowledge so God has "appointed a day"—of judgment for them to gain such knowledge and decide for themselves which they will choose of the two issues of that Judgment Day—life or death. The people of Capernaum, Bethsaida, Chorazin, etc., had more light, and hence were more responsible, but they did not possess full knowledge. Hence in the Day of Judgment, toleration will be meted out accordingly. For the ignorant, we are told, it will be more tolerable in the Day of Judgment than for those who had more knowledge. The assurance is that the poor shall be judged with equity in that day.

Q.—John 5:25, says, "He that heareth My word and believeth on Him that sent Me—SHALL NOT COME INTO JUDGMENT OR JUDGMENT BUT IS FREE FROM DEATH UNTIL LIFE." How do you harmonize this "judgment" with the apostle's thought that the church is now on judgment? (E. D. K.)

Answer.—The church will not have part in the judgment of Acts 17:31. In the judgment day God has set apart the world of mankind. The church is to be the judges in that judgment (1 Corinthians 6:2) and must therefore have previously had their judgment. The judges will have been thoroughly tried and tested and proved worthy of their high position before the world will be tried by them. Saint Paul says, "Some men's sins go before judgment and some follow after" (Hebrews 9:27). The church's go before. They are cautioned to remember that the world's judgment time has not yet come, but is a future event in which we will have a part, therefore, judge nothing before the time" (1 Corinthians 4:5). The time will come when there will be a judging work for every class to do. Those who are of that class will be the ones who are themselves judged now, but who are charitably disposed toward others, who "render evil unto no man" (Thessalonians 5:15), and "speak evil no man" (Titus 3:2).

Q.—If it was possible for Judas to go to the second death before Pentecost, why is it not possible to go to the second death after Pentecost without being begotten of "the holy spirit"? (E. J. G.)

Answer.—Judas was not begotten of "the holy spirit" for "the holy spirit was not given" (John 7:39). We do know however that a portion of Christ's spirit was breathed upon all the Apostles and that in the use of the holy spirit as well as the others, was responsible to God. The holy spirit is received in no such sense today but is actually given to us. Only those who enter into a contract with God for the ridding of all earthly interests, agree to make their one aim the gaining of a spiritual inheritance, have the spirit. These are now the actual conditions. We have the begetting or beginning of a new life preparatory to entering upon new conditions. In order that we may be born on the new plane the old nature must die. All that we have now of the New Creature is the new mind. We are learning to think spiritually; our hopes and ambitions are heavenly instead of earthly. We die to the fleshly mind; our affections are centered on the heavenly things. This is what is represented by our begetting. When the Bible speaks of us as being sons of God we then are considered as new creatures in the sense that the new mind is actually ours. We actually think and hope along new lines, along spiritual lines. This mind is a spiritual mind and should have a spiritual body. But first God wishes us to prove that we would make proper use of this spiritual body and its powers. The new mind is therefore required to tabernacle for a time in this old flesh and by its faithfulness in opposing the fleshly tendencies, demonstrate itself worthy of having the glorious spiritual body. Now we are the sons of God with unsatisfactory human bodies, "but it doth not appear what we shall be" when we get bodies appropriated to the spiritual minds, "but we know that when He shall appear, we shall be like Him" for we shall have bodies like His of the "divine nature" and being on the same plane of existence with Him "we shall see Him as He is" (John 3:2).

Q.—Saint John declares "Beloved, now are we the Sons of God." Are we actual sons of God now? (E. M.)

Answer.—The Scriptures sometimes speak of the New Creatures, the church, as being children, and sometimes speaks of them as being merely begotten to a new life. Both expressions are true to the facts and represent actual conditions. We have the begetting or beginning of a new life preparatory to entering upon new conditions. In order that we may be born on the new plane the old nature must die. All that we have now of the New Creature is the new mind. We are learning to think spiritually; our hopes and ambitions are heavenly instead of earthly. We die to the fleshly mind; our affections are centered on the heavenly things. This is what is represented by our begetting. When the Bible speaks of us as being sons of God we then are considered as new creatures in the sense that the new mind is actually ours. We actually think and hope along new lines, along spiritual lines. This mind is a spiritual mind and should have a spiritual body. But first God wishes us to prove that we would make proper use of this spiritual body and its powers. The new mind is therefore required to tabernacle for a time in this old flesh and by its faithfulness in opposing the fleshly tendencies, demonstrate itself worthy of having the glorious spiritual body. Now we are the sons of God with unsatisfactory human bodies, "but it doth not appear what we shall be" when we get bodies appropriated to the spiritual minds, "but we know that when He shall appear, we shall be like Him" for we shall have bodies like His of the "divine nature" and being on the same plane of existence with Him "we shall see Him as He is" (John 3:2).

Q.—If Jesus was the only begotten of the Father (John 1:14) why are we also called "sons of God"? (E. S. M.)

Answer.—The first chapter of John takes us back to the beginning, at which time Jesus was the only begotten of the Father. There is no record any others having their begetting until this Christian dispensation, stated in John 1:3. "All things are made by Jesus—none beside Himself made life direct, from the Father." In the main He states of Himself, "I am the beginning and the ending, the first and the last" (Revelation 22:13). It is not human beings that we are begotten of. Human life was received from father Adam. It is for this cause that we are weakened and sinful. Reborn again not of the flesh, but of spirit, we will be eventually born on the spirit plane if the new nature properly and fully developed in us that which is born of the flesh is reborn; that which is born of the spirit (John 3:6). When this birth takes place, the limitations of the flesh are all wiped away. "The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of spirit" (John 3:8). The spirit becometh as we are like the wind. I doubt all his other powers will be proportion.

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### MARKETING WORLD'S GREATEST PROBLEM

We Are Long on Production Short on Distribution.

By Peter Radford, Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The economic distribution of farm products is today the world's greatest problem and the war, which it has brought its hardships, has clearly emphasized the importance of distribution as a factor in American agriculture and promises to give the farmers the co-operation of the government and the business men the solution of their marketing problem.

This result will, in a measure, compensate us for our war losses, for the business interests and government have been in the main assisting almost exclusively on the production side of agriculture. While the department of agriculture has been dumping tons of literature on the farmer telling him how to produce, the farmer has been dumping tons of products in the nation's garbage can for want of a market. The World Will Never Starve.

At no time since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden have the inhabitants of this world suffered from lack of production, but some people have gone hungry from the day of creation to this good hour for the lack of proper distribution. Slight variations in production have forced a change in diet and one locality has felt the pinch of want, while another surfeited, but the world as a whole has ever been a land of plenty.

We now have less than one-tenth of the tillable land of the earth's surface under cultivation, and we not only have this surplus area to draw on but it is safe to estimate that in case of dire necessity one-half of the earth's population could at the present time knock their living out of the trees of the forests, gather it from wild vines and draw it from streams. No one should become alarmed; the world will never starve.

The consumer has always feared that the producer would not supply him and his fright has found expression on the statute books of our states and nations, and the farmer has been urged to produce recklessly and without reference to a market, and regardless of the demands of the consumer.

Back to the Soil. The city people have been urging each other to move back to the farm, but very few of them have moved. We welcome our city cousins back to the soil and this earth's surface contains 16,092,160,000 idle acres of tillable land where they can make a living by tilling the earth with a forked stick, but we do not need them so far as increasing production is concerned; we now have all the producers we can use. The city man has very erroneous ideas of agricultural conditions. The commonly accepted theory that we are short on production is all wrong. Our annual increase in production far exceeds our increase in population.

The World as a Farm. Taking the world as one big farm, we find two billion acres of land in cultivation. Of this amount there is approximately 750,000,000 acres on the western and 1,260,000,000 acres on the eastern hemisphere in cultivation. This estimate, of course, does not include grazing lands, forests, etc., where large quantities of meat are produced.

The world's annual crop approximates fifteen billion bushels of cereals, thirteen billion pounds of fibre and sixty-five million tons of meat. The world shows an average increase in cereal production of 13 per cent. during the past decade, compared with the previous five years, while the world's population shows an increase of only 3 per cent. The gain in production far exceeds that of our increase in population, and it is safe to estimate that the farmer can easily increase production 25 per cent. if a remunerative market can be found for the products.

For Hereford People The mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adlerika, drains so much old foul matter from the body that ONE DOSE usually relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation. The QUICK action is astonishing. Betts-Clark, Druggists.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD! "OCEANS OF WATER."

### DIVERSIFICATION IS UP TO THE BANKER

MISSIONARY WORK NEEDED AMONG BANKERS AND MERCHANTS.

Co-Operation, Not Dictation, Need of Farmers.

At a meeting of the representatives of the Texas Bankers' Association and the Farmers' Union in Dallas recently, co-operative plans were adopted whereby the men who grow the cotton and the men who finance it will renew their efforts to hold the present crop for better prices and to diversify the planting next year. Mr. W. D. Lewis, President of the Farmers' Union, who represented that body at the meeting, gave out the following interview: "The Farmers' Union renews its entreaties to all farmers to hold cotton and recommends that the farmers who must have money avail themselves of the co-operation of the banker in securing cotton loans. The Union is sending out a large corps of lecturers to urge holding cotton and diversifying next year's crop.

Too Much Free Advice. The banker in lending money is giving practical co-operation to the farmer in holding his crop after it is harvested and I want to suggest that the banker and the credit merchant extend the same character of co-operation to the farmer in producing the crop and then the problem of diversification is solved. Let the banker and the money lender announce that they will lend as much money on corn, wheat, oats and other crops as they will advance on cotton at the time of planting and we will have an era of diversification that will astonish all of us. In Texas, according to the most reliable data obtainable, at least two-thirds of the crop is mortgaged before it is planted and the farmer must take dictation from the banker and the merchant as to what he plants. There is little use to send lecturers to tell the farmer what to plant when he has no control over the crop. The banker and the merchant need lecturers sent to them as badly as the farmer and we think the lecture force should be divided equally between the city man and the farmer. We suggest it is unfair for the banker to coerce the farmer to diversify by the power of a loan. Let him agree to finance the diversified crop while in process of production. It is co-operation, not dictation, the farmer needs. Agriculture is already bed-ridden with free advice and if the city man will come back to the soil and co-operate direct with the man who plows instead of basing his action upon typewritten reports of book farmers, we will understand each other better and the south will blossom like a rose."

Statement Issued. The following statement was issued from the joint meeting and signed by Mr. Lewis, Peter Radford and J. A. Kemp, Chairman Bankers' Committee:

"The farmers and bankers of Texas, through their representatives, being united in the determination to work and stand together in the matter of holding this year's crop and reducing the average of the 1915 crop at least 50 per cent, urge all who have cotton to sell now for less than 8c a pound and we urge the co-operation of all farmers, bankers and business men in this campaign, with absolute confidence that the price of 10c a pound can and will be reached in the near future."

Violin Instruction Miss Emma Marsh of Amarillo, School of Music, will be in Hereford every Saturday. Pupils wishing to enroll in violin call Mrs. Barnhardt, Phone 185. 43-24 pd.

You will like the Clovis Steam Laundry. Beene & Bennett. 11

Betts-Clark are agents for the Saturday Evening Post. 271f

## Special Notice.

J. M. HYDEN, Optometrist Of Amarillo, is now in the city and will remain for ONE WEEK. Special invitation extended to anyone having defective eyesight or glasses needing change to call and investigate the latest and most scientific process of fitting glasses.

KRYPTOK LENSES Take the place of your two pairs of glasses and are absolutely solid—no seam or cement. They enable you to see near and far with one pair of glasses. I have over 200 customers in and around Hereford and can furnish references on request. Remember that it has been stated by the best authority that eighty percent of all nervous headaches are caused from eye-strain. It may be so with you.

### School Children and Students

It is impossible for children to make normal progress with their studies while suffering from eyestrain. Watch your child, and if it shows any signs of so-called weak eyes, you will save future trouble by having them examined now. Old gold frame taken as part pay on new ones. Lenses put in your frames. Phone for engagement. OFFICE AT CARL BOARDING HOUSE

### From All Over the Panhandle

In Armstrong county the other day, a jury commission composed of four doctors and two other citizens, declared Mrs. T. S. Mix to be insane. The death of her baby a few months ago is said to be the primary cause of her condition. Accompanied by her husband and an officer, she has gone to the insane asylum at Austin.

The gin at Gasoline, belonging to C. R. Taylor, was destroyed by fire the other day. It was practically a new outfit, the loss amounting to \$9,000.

Childress county now has 700 negro cotton pickers within her borders, and Cottle county has many times that number. The crop is extra heavy.

Rev. Robt. A. King, an aged and esteemed citizen of Floydada, died suddenly at his home Tuesday evening of last week. He was a native of Missouri and had lived in Floydada five or six years. He was a Mason and leaves an aged companion and a number of grown children.

Citizens of Lockney are planning to enlarge and improve their power and light plant.

All railroads in this part of the country are disinfecting cattle pens and cattle cars as a protection against the foot and mouth disease.

Dalhart's annual poultry show will be held this winter in January instead of December as heretofore.

Frank Chilton, a prosperous farmer of the Kelton community in Wheeler county, suffered a nervous breakdown last week which seemed to make him insane for the time, according to the Wheeler Sun. He was placed in jail for safe keeping, but has recovered sufficiently to be taken home.

While running along Main Street in Higgins the other day, Frank Myers fell and broke his arm. Miss Maud Electa Griffiths, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Griffiths, died one day last week at the parental home in Vernon, after a protracted illness. Besides her parents, she leaves a sister, Mrs. D. T. Stone, of Texline, and a brother, Perry Griffiths of Vernon.

A horse was stolen from Leo Ingram at Childress last week. Sheriff Jack Brown sent out descriptive notices to officers in the surrounding county and the thief was caught at Whiteflat in Motley county. Geo. Clark is the name of the alleged thief, and his home is at Matador where his family are highly respected. It develops that he is also wanted in Dickens county on charges of similar nature.

The postoffice at Dozier, in the north part of Collingsworth county has been discontinued and its patrons will hereafter be served from Shamrock.

According to report, the town of Pampa leads all Santa Fe stations in the Panhandle in grain shipments this season.

In a football game at Vernon last Saturday, the Amarillo High eliminated Vernon from participation in the high school championship, defeating them by a score of 7 to 3.

The State Department has been investigating the cause that the Childress seed crushers are not paying but \$10 and \$12 for seed when all other places the price is \$17. There seems to be an unusual combination at that place.

Ex-Judge W. S. Bannister, of Quanah, 62 years old, died at his home recently after a long illness.

### NAVAL GUNNER ASHORE



Gunners from the warships have been used extensively by the British in the land fighting near Ypres. One of them is here seen astride his gun on an armored train.

Gave Creditable Show The company that played "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" under a tent theater Tuesday night gave a most creditable show. The play was clean, being entirely free from roughness or suggestive acting. They had a good house despite the cool weather and the fact that the local theater was running the Million Dollar Mystery. Many attended the movies and then went to the saloon play.

You will like the Clovis Steam Laundry. Beene & Bennett. 11

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!

Surprise Birthday Party Mrs. O. E. Schmidt was the surprised hostess of a surprise birthday party last Thursday evening when her neighbors and friends went to her home prepared to furnish the entertainment and a sumptuous dinner. After the meal which all enjoyed, old fashioned games were played and the evening otherwise pleasantly spent.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD!



Castro County News

Rev. O. P. Kiker, Presiding Elder of the Methodist Church for this district, was with us Sunday evening and preached a very interesting sermon from this text: "Canst thou by searching find out God? Canst thou find out the Almighty to perfection?"

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green on last Monday, a baby girl weighing eight pounds.

On last Saturday evening the young people of Dimmitt were very pleasantly entertained until a late hour in the home of Mrs. T. A. Tate.

E. M. Kimbrough has just gotten himself a new piano and we hope to hear him making music some of these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne Gilliland were in Dimmitt this week visiting Mrs. Gilliland's parents.

Holt Lovelace who has been away from Dimmitt for four years, riding over the waters of the mighty Pacific in the employ of the United States Government, has returned to the home of his mother at this place. Everyone extends a hearty welcome to Holt and hopes he will make it convenient to tell us of his adventures while on the great ocean.

The Fifth Sunday meeting will begin on the 26th of this month to continue three days.

Norman Rice passed thru Dimmitt Monday on his way home northwest of Hereford from Spring Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Pugh of Olton, were in town Sunday evening to attend the service held by Rev. Kiker.

Findlay Findings.

Martin Forth of Winfield, Kansas, is here to make his home with his brother, Carl.

Rev. O. E. Schmidt of Hereford, held services in English at the Lutheran church Sunday Nov. 15.

Rev. Mrs. Hurlbut of Friona, preached at the Rheafield Sunday School in the morning and at the Tierra Blanca Sunday School in the afternoon of Sunday Nov. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lawrence took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Messenger Sunday.

B. S. Lawrence has been hauling cake for W. E. Hicks.

George Courtright and Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Sacks Sunday.

R. S. Houlette made a business trip to Friona last week.

Cut the Experience Meeting Short

Tom McNeal relates that several years ago, when the Rev. Bernard Kelley was presiding elder down in Southern Kansas, he was holding an experience meeting. "Now, brethren and sisters," said Bernard briskly, "let your testimony be brief and to the point." One old brother, however, forgot the elder's admonition and started on a long winded story of his experience and also added what he had heard and read. "It is a fearful thing, brethren and sisters," said the old man, "to refuse salvation. None of you know at what minute or at what hour you may be called to render your accounts. Death may come to you when you are asleep or when you are at work in the field or in the store or when you are ridin' along on a railroad train." I once heard of a young man who neglected to embrace salvation when he had the opportunity. A few days after that he was ridin' along on a railroad train with his head stuck out of the window when the timber of a bridge struck his head and knocked it clean off. "Thank God," shouted Bernard. "Now who will be next?"

White Machines. E. B. Black.

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A red cedar chest for \$0.25 at the Corner Drug Store.

Federal castings and tubes at the Barnhart & Rice Garage. 35tf

We guarantee to save you money on wall paper. E. B. Black Co. 39tf

The Daughters of the Confederate Veterans will give a bazar on Dec. 11 and 12. Announcements will be made later. 38-4t

25 cents equals \$20 at the Corner Drug Store if you are good at guessing.

# NATION'S LABOR PROBLEM

Over a million and a Half Women Work as Farm Hands in the United States.

By Peter Radford  
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

Our government never faced so tremendous a problem as that now lying dormant at the doors of Congress and the legislatures, and which, when aroused, will shake this nation from center to circumference, and make civilization hide its face in shame. That problem is—women in the field. The last Federal census reports show we now have 1,514,000 women working in the field, most of them south of the Mason and Dixon line. There were approximately a million negro slaves working in the fields when liberated by the emancipation proclamation. We have freed our slaves and our women have taken their places in bondage. We have broken the shackles off the negroes and welded them upon our daughters.

The Chain-Gang of Civilization.

A million women in bondage in the southern fields form the chain-gang of civilization—the industrial tragedy of the age. There is no overseer, quite so cruel as that of unrestrained greed, no whip that stings like the lash of suborned destiny, and no auctioneer's block quite so revolting as that of organized avarice.

The president of the United States was recently lauded by the press, and very properly so, for suggesting mediation between the engineers and railroad manager in adjusting their schedule of time and pay. The engineer threatened to strike if their wage were not increased from approximately ten to eleven dollars per day and service reduced from ten to eight hours and a similar readjustment of the overtime schedule. Our women are working in the field, many of them barefooted, for less than 50 cents per day, and their schedule is the rising sun and the evening star, and after the day's work is over they milk the cows, slop the hogs and rock the baby to sleep. Is anyone mediating over their problems and to whom shall they threaten a strike?

Congress has listened approvingly to those who toil at the forge and behind the counter, and many of our statesmen have smiles at the threats and have fanned the flame of unrest among industrial laborers. But women are assuredly the final victims of industrial warfare as they are the burden-bearers in the war between nations, and those who arbitrate and mediate the differences between capital and labor should not forget that when the expenses of any industry are unnecessarily increased, society foots the bill by drafting a new consignment of women from the home to the field.

Pinch No Crumb From Women's Crust of Bread.

No financial award can be made without some one footing the bill, and we commend to those who accept the responsibility of the distribution of industrial justice, the still small voice of the woman in the field as she pleads for mercy, and we beg that they pinch no crumb from her crust of bread, or put another patch upon her ragged garments. We beg that they listen to the scream of horror from the eagle on every American dollar that is wrung from the brow of toiling women and hear the Goddess of Justice hiss at a verdict that increases the want of woman to satisfy the greed of man.

The women behind the counter and in the factory cry aloud for sympathy and the press thunders out in their defense and the pulpit pleads for mercy, but how about the woman in the field? Will not these powerful exponents of human rights turn their talent, energy and influence to her relief? Will the Goddess of Liberty enthroned at Washing-

Land Loans.

If you want some 10 per cent money on your land, write me at once. If school land it must be patented. E. S. Ireland, Dimmitt, Texas. tf

A 25 cent purchase at the Corner Drug Store may get \$20 in return. Guess and see. Corner Drug Store.

ton hold the calloused hand and soothe the feverish brow of her sex who sows and reaps the nation's harvest or will she permit the male of the species to shove women—weak and weary—from the bread-line of industry to the back alleys of poverty?

Women and Children First.

The census enumerators tell us that of the 1,514,000 women who work in the fields as farm hands 409,000 are sixteen years of age and under. What is the final destiny of a nation whose future mothers spend their girlhood days behind the plow, pitching hay and hauling manure, and what is to become of womanly culture and refinement that grace the home, charm society and enthrone man to leap to glory in noble achievements if our daughters are raised in the society of the ox and the companionship of the plow?

In that strata between the ages of sixteen and forty-five are 950,000 women working as farm hands and many of them with suckling babes tugging at their breast, as drenched in perspiration, they wield the scythe and guide the plow. What is to become of that nation where poverty breaks the crowns of the queens of the home; despair hurls a mother's love from its throne and hunger drives innocent children from the school-room to the hoe?

The census bureau shows that 155,000 of these women are forty-five years of age and over. There is no more pitiful sight in civilization than these saintly mothers of Israel stooped with age, drudging in the field from sun until sun and at night drenching their dingy pillows with the tears of despair as their aching hearts take it all to God in prayer. Civilization strikes them a blow when it should give them a crown, and their only friend is He who broke bread with beggars and said: "Come unto me all ye that are weary and heavy laden and I will give you rest."

Texas, the home of Sam Houston and the adopted land of David Crockett! The Lone Star State!—baptized in the blood of martyrs and paid for by the lives of sainted heroes who, with the sword and the cross, slayed tyranny and conquered evil! Our Southland! the world's custodian of chivalry, the champion of human rights and the defender of the oppressed, shall we permit our maidens fair to be torn from the hearthstone by the ruthless hand of destiny and chained to the plow? Shall we permit our faithful wives whom we covenanted with God to cherish and protect, to be hurled from the home to the harvest field and our mothers dear to be driven from the old arm chair to the cotton patch?

In rescuing our citizens from the forces of civilization can we not apply to our fair Dixie land the rule of the sea—women and children first?

There must be a readjustment of the wage scale of industry so that the woman can be taken from the field or given a reasonable wage for her services. Perhaps the issue has never been fairly raised but the Farmers' Union, with a membership of ten millions, puts its organized forces squarely behind the issue and we now enter upon the docket of civilization the case of "The Woman in the Field" and demand an immediate trial.

Old men have visions, young men have dreams. Successful farmers plow deep while sluggards sleep.

Whatever change the tenant farmer makes, it is bound to be for the better—it couldn't be for the worse.

The soil is like a man's bank account. It can soon be exhausted by withdrawing and never depositing.

The growing of legumes will retard soil depletion and greatly add to its power to produce.

Education is a developing of the mind, not a stuffing of the memory. Digest what you read.

"I'm Rearing To Go."

I have bought Smith's mules and outfit; am ready to do any kind of team work; have charge of the sand and gravel pits; am doing the City work; call on me, phone 59. Guy Smith. 40-4tp

What's trump!! That red cedar chest at the Corner Drug Store.

War Revenue Taxes

Collector of Internal Revenue A. S. Walker has called attention to the requirements of the recently enacted Emergency Revenue Law, commonly called the War Revenue Act.

Beginning with the month of November, special taxes were imposed on the following occupations: Dealers in tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, snuff, etc., (when the sales exceed \$200) bankers, brokers of all kinds, commission merchants, theater proprietors, circus proprietors, and proprietors of towing alleys, pool and billiard rooms.

To avoid 50 per cent penalty, these taxes must be paid to the Collector of Internal Revenue before the close of business on November 30th. The first tax period is that from November 1, 1914, to June 30, 1915 and the tax to be paid at this time is 2-3 of the tax for a full year. The tax to be paid by dealers in tobacco, cigars, etc., is \$3.20 for the remaining eight months of the fiscal year.

All persons liable to the above special taxes should immediately write the Collector at Austin for blank application, form 11a, and after this form has been received it should be properly executed and forwarded to the Collector by return mail, accompanied by Austin exchange or postal money order for the amount of the tax. If application blank is not received promptly, remittance to cover the tax should be mailed to reach the Collector before the close of business on November 30. The 50 per cent penalty will apply to all remittances received after that date.

Banker's returns will be made in duplicate on form 457. The tax should be remitted at the time of filing report which must be rendered during November.

All perfumes, cosmetics, etc., and chewing gum sold at retail after November 30, must have the proper revenue stamp attached. A stamp tax is also imposed on notes, deeds, bonds, insurance policies (not including life insurance), powers of attorney, and other documents on and after December 1.

Supplies of stamps to be attached to documents and articles may be obtained from the Collector at Austin or from the deputy collectors at El Paso and Dallas. Orders for documentary stamps should be made on form 427, and on form 427-A for perfumery, cosmetics, chewing gum, etc.

A copy of the law giving schedule of documents and articles taxed will be furnished on request.

Joel Budget

Norman Rice, who has been visiting in Spring Lake for the past two weeks, came home Monday evening. Messrs. Richard, August and Reinhold Frye, Lester Galley and Miss Laura Frye spent Saturday evening at the S. J. Rice home.

P. D. Vore of Spring Lake, spent Wednesday in the S. J. Rice home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbutt and Mr. Nentworth called at the Rice home Tuesday evening. They took Mrs. Rice to Friona with them to care for an invalid lady.

Mesdames C. P. Galley, Hollis Galley, S. J. Rice and Mary Hapsy called on Mrs. Bridgers Tuesday.

S. J. Rice made a business trip to Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frye attended the birthday surprise of Rev. Smith last Thursday night and reported a pleasant time.

Gilbert and Farnell Dalton returned home this week from an extended stay in Oklahoma.

A Sacrifice Sale.

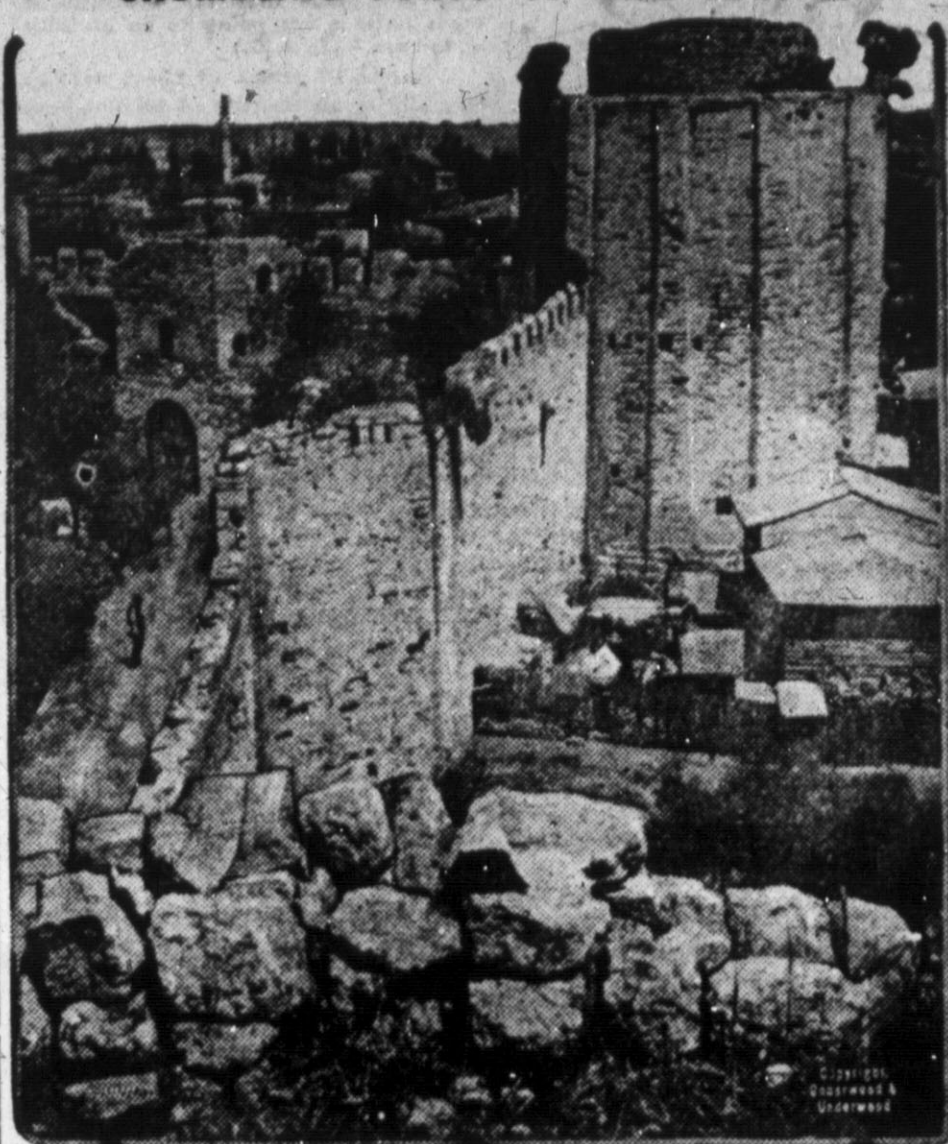
Twenty acres, joins Hereford, mostly creek bottom, improved, easy terms. Am going away and will give some one a snap on this place. J. B. Johnson, at Bowe's livery barn. 36tf

J. E. Garrison, Conveyancer and Notary Public. 41 3t

Are you buying drugs with an eye to winning that red cedar chest at the Corner Drug Store—

The American Boy is the best paper for boys; give your subscription to Davis Elliott. 38tf

## CRUMBLING FORTS OF THE SULTAN



This ancient fort and battlement, which is crumbling with age, is one of the fortifications about Constantinople depended on by the Turk to keep out the allies. Beyond the tower is the residential district of Constantinople.

## AS SHEEP LED TO THE SLAUGHTER

John Galsworthy in Scribner's Magazine. THE Western World has had its lesson now—the lesson indelibly writ in death: There is no longer room in civilization for despotic governments. In Germany, in Austria, in the country where despotism most reigns supreme—our ally, Russia—they are doomed!

The Slav is not the enemy of the Teuton, the Teuton is not the enemy of the Frank. The enmity is the fostered thing of imperial and bureaucratic dreams.

What stands out from all this welter? The ambitious, unscrupulous diplomacy of the despotic powers, in pursuit of so-called "national ideals," a diplomacy begotten of fusty diplomatic tradition and the misconceptions of egomania, removed by a ring fence from the people of the nations for whom they profess to speak. An ambitious and unscrupulous diplomacy, fattening on the knowledge that it can at almost any time raise for its fantastic ends a whirlwind of feeling men ever have for the land wherein they are born.

It is the divorce of executive power from popular sanction that has made possible this greatest of all the crimes in history. In democratic countries the aggressive faculty is imperceptibly yet continually weakened by the obscure, but real line between ministers-elect and the people. Only in those countries where the administrative force is responsible to none save an imperial director, is a ruthless and unchecked pursuit of so-called national dreams, a bullying parade of so-called parade of national honor possible. The German, the Austrian, the Russian peoples are as sheep led to the slaughter—poor souls hypnotized by demigods looming large through mist, lured on by a brazen melody, to the making of which they have brought no part.

If only despotisms go down in the wreckage of this war!

## CANADIANS RESTING AFTER A MARCH



A company of Canadian fighters resting in a field and cooling their feet after a long, hard march. They know the art of keeping in good condition better than most of the troops engaged in the war.

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# Want Ads

**HIDES WANTED**—Will pay highest cash price for all kinds of hides. Ezra Norton at Saddle Shop. 3tf

**FOR RENT**—A good, nice, 5 room house near public school. See Troy Womble. 38tf

**FOR SALE**—640 acres all of section 10, township 5, range 2, Deaf Smith county, Texas. This is all fine, level, grass land; price \$5.50 per acre. C. B. Yoe, Maryville, Mo. 40-3t

**FOUND**—A combination monkey wrench and pliers. Owner can get tool by paying for this ad. 40tf

**TO TRADE**—Automobile for feed. Address Box 128, Hereford. 35tf

**MARES**—Fifty high class brood mares for sale, 3 years old up, none dead old. All have been bred to the best Jacks on the Plains. Have offspring of mares and Jacks to show their breeding. Also No. 1, half Spanish Jack. Will sell separately or with mares. For further information write A. C. Elliott, Hereford, Texas. 37tf

**FOR SALE**—A shallow water half-section, near Summerfield, cheap for half cash, balance on terms. This is a bargain. Write A. C. Elliott, Hereford. 43-2td

**FOR SALE**—Gentle family horse and second hand buggy. See Rex Tynes. 43-2tpd

**FOR SALE**—Second hand survey, good condition.—A bargain. See it at Bennett's. 42-2tpd

**FARM WANTED**—Have a farm in Oklahoma to trade for land, improved or unimproved, near Hereford. Equity in Oklahoma land about \$5500; what have you to match it? Must be within 10 miles of Hereford. See A. C. Elliott. 2td

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**Cheap Shallow Water Land**  
 For Sale—225 acres, 90 in cultivation, 7 miles south of Hereford, one mile south of Summerfield. Price \$2.00 per acre cash bonus; due the State \$14 due in 36 years at 5 per cent. It is Sec. 21, Blk. B, Castro Co. Write Ollie Purl, 109 Woodward Place, San Antonio, Texas. 36-td

**Land Leases**  
 Blanks for making contracts for grass land for sale at the Brand office. Gotten up especially for the Panhandle. 1f

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 We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
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**FOR SALE**—Some very fine mules at the Rucker Ranch. 41-3t

**FOR RENT**—If you have houses to rent, list them at Brand office. If they are not rented no charges will be made. 1f

**SEED WHEAT**—Have best seed wheat for sale at \$1.25 per bushel. See W. M. Cogdell. 1f

**TURKEYS**—If you want a good fat turkey for Thanksgiving call Vern Witherspoon. 2t

**COWS**—Four Jersey cows, two calves, two coming fresh this fall, for sale. See W. M. Lightwaid, Umbarger. 4tp

**FOR SALE**—My pony, buggy and harness; a small book case, a Fonograph and 28 records; a two burner oil stove, and 2 nice little homes on easy terms. A. H. Elliston. 2t

**STRAYED**—One white face bull with horns, 6 or 7 years old; branded on left hip. Send information to W. E. Hicks, Hereford. 1f

**MULES**—Three good mules, wagon, harness, farm implements, and feed for sale. See T. B. Kellogg. 1f

**FOR SALE**—I am offering for sale part or all of my section, four miles S. W. of Hereford, described as follows:—Abstract no. 152, cert. no. 1242, survey no. 129, block M-F, no. acres 651. Please send bids by mail to Mrs. L. P. Hendricks, Madison, Wis. 3t

**WILL TRADE FOR LAND**—A well improved 320 acre farm in sure wheat belt of East Panhandle to trade for grazing land. Must be free of debt or be cleared. What have you to offer? See A. C. Elliott, Hereford. 43-3td

**ATTENTION**—If taken at once, \$2,000 will buy 160 acres of good unimproved land 1-2 miles southeast of Findlay in Deaf Smith county, Texas. No incumbrance. Write P. W. Kessinger 336 S. Main Ave., Carlinville, Macoupin county, Ill. 43-2tp

**Notice by Publication of Final Account**  
 The State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith.  
 In the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Sitting in Matters Probate, December Term 1914.  
 To All Persons Interested in the Estate of H. B. Shelton, Deceased: H. F. Shelton, Administrator of the Estate of H. B. Shelton, deceased, has filed his final account in the Probate Court of Deaf Smith county, which will be acted on at the next term of this Court, commencing on the first Monday in December, 1914, which is the 7th day of said month; at which term all persons interested in said estate may appear and make objections thereto.

**Notice by Publication of Final Account**  
 The State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith.  
 To all persons interested in the Estate of A. B. Hadden, deceased: L. P. Landrum, Administrator of the Estate of A. B. Hadden, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Deaf Smith county, his final account of the condition of said Estate, together with an application to be discharged as Administrator thereof, of which will be heard by our said Court on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1914, same being the 7th day of December A. D. 1914, at the Court House of said Deaf Smith county in the city of Hereford, at which time and place all persons interested in said Estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account and application, if they see proper.

**Notice by Publication of Final Account**  
 The State of Texas, County of Deaf Smith.  
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office the 21st day of October 1914.  
 J. S. Jones,  
 Clerk of the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas. 40-4t

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**Witness:** J. S. Jones,  
 Clerk of the County Court of Deaf Smith County.  
 Given under my hand and the seal of said Court at my office in Hereford on this the 5th day of November, A. D. 1914.  
 [L. S.] J. S. Jones, Clerk County Court, Deaf Smith County, Texas. 40-4t

## TAKING WAR PRISONERS TO CAMP



Scene in the village of Pau, France, where the entire population has turned out to see a column of 300 German prisoners being escorted to the French camp by their captors.

**The "Wise Guy's" Dictionary**  
 Reub—A man who owns 240 acres of farm land valued at \$200 on acre.  
 Jay—A man who owns a 1915 automobile.  
 Country Jake—A man whose home is equipped with gas lights, hot and cold running water, bath rooms, and hot water heating plant.  
 Yap—A man whose son is leading his class at the University.  
 Hick—A man whose signature is good for \$10,000 at any old bank.  
 Boob—A man whose daughter finds herself worth \$25,000 when the will is read.  
 Simp—A man, to corral whose vote a Congressman tramps over forty acres of plowed land.  
 Wise Guy—A city coap—with 30 cents in his pocket, and uses the above terms.  
 Singer Machines. E. B. Black.  
 Lester Weaver's Dairy, Phone 9.  
 Don't say drug store say Corner Drug Store. 1tf  
 J. E. Garrison. Conveyancer and Notary Public. 41 3t  
 Betts-Clark are agents for the Saturday Evening Post. 27tf  
 See our blanket line. We sell them for less. E. B. Black Co. 39tf  
 Let us figure with you on that room of wall paper. E. B. Black Co. 39tf  
 We are now carrying a supply of Federal casings and tubes. None better made. Barnhart & Rice. 35tf  
 Considering value received, your money is worth more to you by buying your drugs at the Corner Drug Store.  
 Have a few 12-pound pails extra fine, extracted honey for sale. Anderson Witherspoon. 40-4t

**The Telephone Saved a Life**

When one of our men was badly injured by the threshing machine we telephoned the doctor, who told us how to patch the man up. The doctor then started for our place in a hurry. When he arrived the man was pretty weak, and without the doctor's advice the results might have proved serious. Thanks to the telephone, the man pulled through.  
 Every farm should have Bell Telephone connection.  
 Write our nearest Manager for information  
**The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company**

**"OCEANS OF WATER,"**  
**HERE'S A HUSBAND'S SECRET**  
 Tailors Now Are Said to Be Putting Special Pockets in Married Men's Trousers.  
 A man who bought a new suit of clothes yesterday at one of the establishments that sells a large quantity of ready-made clothing discovered that the trousers of the suit contained an extra pocket which aroused his curiosity. It was small, about the size of a watch pocket, and opened on the inside of the right hand trousers' pocket, making it invisible as far as outward appearance went. At the top of the little pocket there was stiff material which kept it closed, so that on putting one's hand in the large pocket the little one would not be found unless its presence was known.  
 "Something new, isn't it?" the customer asked the salesman.  
 "Yes, that's come into style since the war created a shortage of loose change," was the reply. "A person making a hurried search through the pockets for pin money has no luck at all when the owner of the suit uses this pocket—unless she hears something jingle. Best plan is to wrap your change up in a dollar bill."  
 The customer took the suit and left orders for the trousers to be delivered to him at a tailor apartment house uptown.—New York Times.

**Boarding House Gossip.**  
 "Billson yonder tells me he trusts his wife implicitly and absolutely but—"  
 "Well!"  
 "Well, I notice he carries his change and his fishhooks loose in the same pocket."—Judge.

**Lockney Has Good Market**  
 Lockney, Floyd county, on the South Plains, has a good market judging from the reports in the Beacon, the newspaper that Smith publishes. Hens are quoted at 8 cents per pound, fryers at 11 cents, ducks at 9 cents, dry maize heads at \$10.50. The gins of Lockney have turned out 2,000 bales this season. Some one hundred and fifty cars of grain, including kaffir and maize, have been shipped from that point this fall.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy—The Mothers' Favorite.**  
 "I give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my children when they have colds or coughs," writes Mrs. Verne Shaffer, Vandergrift, Pa. "It always helps them and is far superior to any other cough medicine I have used. I advise anyone in need of such a medicine to give it a trial." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

**Safety First**  
 The tread with the grip of a traction engine.  
 You will be satisfied with Goodrich Safety Treads—we guarantee them. And the extra thickness of the Goodrich Tough Rubber Tread at the point of contact guarantees extra wear.  
**Goodrich Safety Tread Tires**  
 Let's get together—call or phone when in need of tires.

**WAR**  
**Prices on Tires**  
**All Off**  
 We are pleased to notify the users of the Goodrich Tires that the advance in prices added on account of the warring conditions in Europe and its consequent effect upon American business, have been declared off and from now until further notice, the following prices will prevail:

30 x 3 1/2 Safety Tread	\$17.00
32 x 3 1/2 Safety Tread	18.10
33 x 4 Safety Tread	25.25
34 x 4 Safety Tread	26.05
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Remember also that we handle the GOODYEAR TIRES and the prices are right.  
 Our Garage is fully equipped to do any kind of Auto Repairing; can furnish Gas, Air, Oil, etc.  
 Tourists are invited to place their cars in our care for inspection. A few minutes spent at inspection may save you several hours valuable time on the road when miles from a station. We employ experts.

**The Hereford Garage & Machine Works**  
 C. H. DYAR, Prop.

**WILSON'S RANCH**  
**BRANDS**  
 Other Brands, XT on left side.  
 Ranch at Arney, Castro County.  
**JNO. L. WILSON & SON**  
 Hereford, Texas

**Colorado & New Mexico Coal**  
 We have plenty and the prices are  
**\$6.00 \$7.00 \$7.75 and \$8.00**

We also have plenty of Feed and Hay, Hard and Soft Wheat Flour and Corn Meal. . . .  
 We are handling Cotton Seed Cake and Meal. When in the market for any kind of Cake we would like to figure with you. ♣ We keep Fresh Oysters at all times, also Comb and Extracted Honey

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 PHONE 41

**It Always Helps**  
 says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Cardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.  
 I wish every suffering woman would give

**GARDUI**  
**The Woman's Tonic**  
 a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."  
 Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Cardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Cardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

**Get a Bottle Today!**





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### The Hereford Brand

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Any erroneous statement affecting the character or reputation of any individual or firm which may appear in The Brand, will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publishers.

Some people cannot stand even a slight criticism in a newspaper. They imagine that everybody will see that they have been criticized, and that their good standing, if they had any, would be injured. Perhaps they should be thankful that the newspaper does not tell the whole truth about them. If they did, the editor or reporter would have to go "steel armored" or be shot upon sight.

Why do not the preachers all over the country condemn the Ladie's Home Journal for publishing a series of dancing lessons with the pictures by two professionals showing how the latest tango steps are executed. It's a shame to have the Journal come into a decent home, as the pictures exhibit some attitudes which suggest familiarity. As a rule preachers are opposed to the modern dance, and it must be admitted that some of the dances are trying on the nerves. Most of our schools, even in Texas, teach dancing; if not by actual instruction, then by allowing the boys and girls to engage in the pastime. The State University has its regular balls and even many of the so-called religious schools permit the girls to have their private dances, a sort of hen party. The boys to retaliate have their stag dances. And thus dancing is taught when it looks like innocent fun.

The Brand has been severely criticized lately by a number of people for running "Pastor" Russell's religious stuff. It was even talked about in an indirect way for publishing some anti-prohibition paid-for advertising. And then a little later on some one else banded out a lot of talk about publishing an abstract of the lecture by the Christian Science man. For all this the editor of The Brand feels doubly thankful for it shows that even smart people read the paper and he knows that is impossible to please everyone. A newspaper is like a dinner table when you are a guest. While you are expected to taste of nearly every dish for politeness sake, you are not required to eat up every dish set before you; in fact you have a right

to decline anything that does not agree with your stomach. If you will look at a newspaper in the same way, you will be better pleased with yourself.

### NEARLY HALF MILLION ON DEPOSIT

All business concerns watch for the bank statements as published under call of the Comptroller, for these furnish an index to the financial condition of the country. The Brand did not call attention to the extra fine showings made by the banks of Hereford in their last showing for the reason that these bank statements are always published on the front page. This all newspapers do not do. Most of the country newspapers hide the bank statements in the mix of patent medicine ads and display advertisements. The Brand has never felt ashamed of the statements of the Hereford financial institutions and hence has always put their statements on the front page. The last statements showed that the three banks of Hereford had on deposit \$465,081.15. The banks in other Panhandle towns showed that this section of the State need not complain about the lack of money to transact the usual run of business. The Panhandle is right in its own this year. Come to the Panhandle—there's a place for you at Hereford.

### DOES HEREFORD NEED A SALOON?

On account of the increased amount of drinking in Hereford in these latter days, it has been suggested that the town should have a saloon for the convenience of those who worship at the throne of John Barleycorn. It also requires the expenditure of extra money to ship the booze in, while if it was right here handy, those who wished to take a Sunday morning toddy or a Sunday morning jag, they could do so without so much trouble. And then on Monday morning when they needed a tapering off for that extra headache, they could get it. There has been some talk of asking for a local option election in order to bring the county under the penal law, but if those who wish to take this step are not careful, they might find themselves in the condition of the dog who saw his shadow in the water. How would it do to have a preferential election to determine whether or not a saloon shall be opened in Hereford? Put on the ticket, "For the Saloon" and "Against the Saloon." The saloon would bring a lot of extra trade and travel to Hereford; it would furnish three or four men with jobs; it would rent one of the vacant stores in town; it would pay a lot of taxes to the city, county and state; it would furnish a place of resort during the "cold evenings; it would keep so much money from being sent off to "mail order houses; it would make the town lively. This is only a suggestion. What do you think about it?

## THE PATRIOTIC DOLLAR

### War Revenue Tax of \$105,000,000 Levied—Beer Bears Brunt of Burden.

Congress has levied a war tax of \$105,000,000 to offset a similar amount of loss on import revenue due to the European disturbances and of this amount beer is the heaviest contributor, having been assessed approximately, \$50,000,000; a stamp tax on negotiable instruments, it is estimated, will yield \$31,000,000; a tax on the capital stock of banks of \$4,300,000, and a tax on tobacco, perfumes, theater tickets, etc., makes the remainder.

Congress has decreed that the brewer, the banker and the investor must shoulder the musket and march to the front; that milady who would add to her beauty must first tip Uncle Sam, and a dollar that seeks pleasure must first salute the flag; that Pleasure and Profit—the twin heroes of many wars—shall fight the nation's battles and by an ingeniously arranged schedule of taxation Congress has shifted the war budget from the shoulders of Necessity to those of Choice and Gain, touching in its various ramifications almost every line of business.

All hail the dollar that bleeds for its country; that bares its breast to the fortunes of war and risks its life to preserve the stability and integrity of the nation's credit.

The market place has always been a favorite stand for war revenue collectors. The trader is a great financial patriot. His dollar is the first to rally around the star-spangled banner and the last to hear the coo of the dove of peace. He is called upon to buy cannon; to feed and clothe the boys in blue and each month cheer their hearts with the coin of the realm. Men can neither be free nor brave without food and ammunition, and money is as important a factor in war as blood. Many monuments have been erected in honor of heroes slain in battle, poems have been written eulogizing their noble deeds and the nation honors its soldiers while they live and places a monument upon their graves when they die, but very little has been said of the dollar that bears the burdens of war.

### Honor to the Dollar That Bears the Burdens of War.

All honor to the dollar that answers the call to arms and, when the battle is over, bandages the wounds of stricken soldiers, lays a wreath upon the graves of fallen heroes and cares for the widows and orphans.

All honor to the industries that bend their backs under the burdens of war; lift the weight from the shoulders of the poor and build a bulwark around the nation's credit.

All honor to those who contribute to the necessities and administer to the comforts of the boys who are marching; cool the fever of afflicted soldiers and kneel with the cross beside dying heroes.

A dollar may fight its competitor in business, industries may struggle for supremacy in trade and occupations may view each other with envy or suspicion, but when the bugle calls they bury strife and rally around the flag companions and friends, mess mates and chums, all fighting for one flag, one cause and one country.

The luxuries in life have always been the great burden-bearers in government. We will mention a few of them giving the annual contributions to the nation's treasury: Liquor, \$250,000,000; tobacco, \$103,000,000; sugar, \$54,000,000; silks, \$15,500,000; diamonds, \$3,837,000; millinery, \$2,479,000; furs, \$2,024,000 and automobiles \$870,000.

The real problem of the farmer is how to sell his products.

A shoat in the pen is worth a ten dollar bill in the pocket.

FARM WANTED—Have a farm in Oklahoma to trade for land, improved or unimproved, near Hereford. Equity in Oklahoma land about \$5500; what have you to match it? Must be within 10 miles of Hereford. See A. C. Elliott. 2td

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days  
Your druggist will refund money if PILE OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

### Mr. Bryan Has Built Wisely

The seizure of the American ship, John D. Rockefeller, bound for a neutral port with a cargo of illuminating oil, gives a glimpse of the present value of the peace treaty negotiated by Mr. Bryan.

There was no public excitement about this seizure. Our government protested and the British government ordered the release of the ship. But it is just such incidents that cause great and sometimes dangerous public excitement.

How dangerous—how likely to fire the war spirit is interference with the rights asserted by neutrals on the high sea—is copiously illustrated in our own history. One such incident came perilously near bringing Great Britain to the South's aid.

The peace treaty makes a temporary wave of public feeling comparatively harmless. It gives assurance that there will be plenty of time to investigate and settle the question on its merits. It forces a sober consideration of the case.

There is solid satisfaction in this fact. It is more than probable that there will be other incidents during the war. Controversies relating to neutral commerce are bound to arise. There is no way to provide against them wholly.

But whatever controversies do arise, there is no reason to doubt that a way will be found to settle them to the interest and honor of all parties. When nations want to settle things they can always find a way to do it.

And if there should unfortunately be a dangerous wave of popular feeling as a result of one of these incidents, it won't be able to convert a casual incident into a large war—at least not for a long, long while. —Chicago Herald.

### W. O. W. at Dimmitt

A team of W. O. W.'s went down to Dimmitt last Saturday night and put on some work for the Dimmitt Wood Choppers. Hereford men filled the stations and conducted the lodge work initiating six candidates into the mysteries of Woodcraft. The boys report a fine time and most excellent treatment at the hands of the Woodmen of Dimmitt. Those who went down were: C. L. Sullivan, T. Womble, J. P. Wood, A. D. Godwin.

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.

### Are You a Woman?

## Take Cardui

### The Woman's Tonic

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

## Here Are the Best Editorials

From the Plainview News

It is not often that anybody has a good word to say about the work of the postoffice force—on the contrary, it is usually brickbats instead of bouquets these public servants get. But the News is going to violate all precedents, and thank Postmaster Ben Sanford and his assistants for the efficient manner in which they handle the News. It is rarely that we have a "kick" from people who do not get their News. While on the subject we will say that it is no easy job to handle the mail for seven or eight thousand people as is done by the Plainview postoffice, and not make errors, for not all the addresses on the mail matter which comes from the four corners of the world, are written with a typewriter, and there is of course a jumble of names and initials. It is really a wonder that many times more errors are made than there is. Pity the postal clerk—don't "cuss" him.

One of the leading grocery firms in town has adopted a cash policy, and in its advertising matter tells why it has done so. It says about \$40,000 worth of groceries are sold at retail in Plainview each month, and of this amount fully \$30,000 are sold on a credit; that it costs \$3,000 a month extra to do the charging, collecting and loss on bad accounts; this means \$36,000 annually. If these figures are correct, and we think that they are, it is but another argument of the sheer waste of the credit business. The credit system has grown until now almost every person, whether he has the money or not, buys on credit. It is a bad system, for both the merchant and the buyer, and should be reduced to the lowest limit. Some people possibly, cannot pay spot cash, but most of us could and would if we had to, besides we would not buy so much. A strictly cash rule would also cut out the dead beat and fellow who is living without working.

**2 IN 1** Black White 10c  
**SHOE POLISHES** Tan

In our new "Easy-Opening-Box" No trouble. No muss.

THE F. F. DALLEY CO., LTD.  
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Annual Convention Northwest Texas Methodist Conference, Sweetwater, Texas, Dec. 9 to 14. Tickets on sale Dec. 8, 9, 10, return limit Dec. 16. Fare round trip \$10.15.

MEETING MASONIC GRAND BODIES—Waco, Nov. 23rd to Dec. 12. Tickets on sale Nov. 21-2, 29-30, limit Dec 18. One and one-third fare for round trip.

NINETY DAY ROUND TRIP TOURIST RATES—Now in effect to Brownsville, Collegeport, Corpus Christi, Hubbard, Marlin, Mineral Wells, Nacogdoches, Palacios, Port O'Conner, and Rockport, Texas.

ROUND TRIP RATES in effect to various points in states named below: Alberta, Arizona, Arkansas, British Columbia, California, Cuba, District of Columbia, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Maryland, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Tennessee, Utah and Washington.

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