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BREEDERS OF HEREFORDS TO ORGANIZE

MOVEMENT BIG WITH POSSIBILITIES BEGUN

For months past there seems to have been a general agreement among the breeders of registered Hereford cattle in this county that the time had arrived when it was necessary for all breeders to get together, and work together for the common good, if the individual breeders were to get out of their business all that was possible, and if the attention of the buyers of the country was to be riveted to Deaf Smith county as the undisputed home of the very best blood lines of registered stuff to be found anywhere.

The necessity for this organization has been generally admitted by all, and a department for this work was also created in the Chamber of Commerce at the last annual meeting, with J. R. Jowell at its head. But the war, and other local conditions, prevented its fulfillment.

With the war conditions beginning to improve, or at least to look better for the future, the matter has finally taken definite form and Wednesday of this week several of our leading breeders held a conference and decided to ask every registered breeder in Deaf Smith county to meet in Hereford on Thursday, March 13th, at noon, eat dinner together, and then go to the courthouse for a heart-to-heart talk on the organization idea. Accordingly, a letter was issued Thursday to 33 breeders of the county asking them to meet on the above date.

The Brand has been requested to announce this meeting, and to call special attention to the point that this list of 33 names was believed to cover all breeders in this county, but that if any name is omitted it is not an intentional oversight, and any man who has one or one hundred registered Herefords is most earnestly and cordially invited to attend this meeting and take part in its proceedings.

The Brand believes this to be one of the most important development moves in this county that could possibly be undertaken. We have here a splendid nucleus of registered stuff that is already known from one end of the land to the other. United efforts, with a reasonable amount of the right kind of advertising, say in The Hereford Journal, to let the buyers know just what we have; an annual Sale, second to none, that would attract buyers from all over the country; cooperation in matters of feed, etc., would undoubtedly result in a big development of the industry here, in prosperity for each individual member, and thereby prosperity for the community at large. The irrigators have already taken the initial step in this direction; and with two such vital organizations working along the right cooperative lines, a big step forward in the development of this county's live stock and agricultural possibilities will have been taken.

It's a big idea; it's a necessary step at this critical moment; it ought to receive the unanimous and hearty endorsement of every citizen of this county, whatever his business. The Brand sincerely hopes that every breeder of registered Herefords in Deaf Smith county will be on hand Thursday the thirteenth and lend his aid in making the organization what it must be.

REBEKAHS FAVOR THE HOSPITAL

The Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228 of Hereford, Texas, desires to give some public expression of its sentiments with reference to the construction of a county memorial hospital.

We most heartily endorse all that has been said by the various women's organization of the community.

We are glad to have known that our sentiments and feelings on the question run in the same line with those of the other women's organizations who have so well expressed themselves on this subject. We can think of no more suitable memorial than a county hospital, and indeed of all of the different suggestions that have been made in the various communities where memorials will be erected, a hospital, where none exist, seems the most appropriate for several different reasons.

The duty of every man and woman toward the sick and unfortunate was indicated many centuries ago by the good Samaritan who at his own charge provided for the care and comfort for the unfortunate traveler who was beset by thieves and severely injured on his journey from Jerusalem to Jerico. We regard it as the duty of every community through some proper agency supported at public expense to see to it that the sick and injured receive the best care, attention, and treatment that modern investigation and science have made possible.

The sickness and death of those in active life is serious, economic and financial loss to any community to say nothing of the dictates of humanity to the relief of the suffering.

Therefore be it resolved that we the members of Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228 of Hereford, Texas, endorse the construction of the proposed county memorial hospital and we hope that the property tax paying voters of the county will vote to furnish the finances necessary for the construction and equipment of such an institution.

We pledge ourselves to contribute in some substantial way toward the equipment of this institution either by furnishing a room or by doing something else that will be equally as useful and beneficial.

Mrs. Ashbrook
Mrs. Ray
Mrs. Williams
Committee.

C. S. GARRISON BETTER.

George Garrison is in receipt of information from Macon, Mo., where his brother, C. S. Garrison is recuperating at the present time, which conveys the cheerful information that the invalid is doing as nicely as could be hoped for. Mr. Garrison, expects his brother to be able to return to his home and business within a month or so.

CRISPETTES STAND AT STAR THEATRE

A small but neat little business stand has recently been opened in the Star Theatre building, known as a "Crispette" Stand, owned and operated by Rev. J. D. Burleson and his son, F. H. Burleson, the latter being in charge. The new venture is attractively housed and displayed, and is starting off well.

A COMBINATION

Deaf Smith, and adjacent counties, depends almost solely on the live stock industry, and all other lines of business are dependent on the stock man. Looking backward one year shows a condition by which all business interests, including the stock interests, are held by a very slender thread.

God in His wisdom has provided a way to overcome a large part, if not all, of our difficulties by placing at our command a large volume of water under thousands of acres of choice, rich soil that responds bountifully when aided by the necessary moisture.

Can the stock men, and the business men, stand aloof from helping consummate the task that the irrigators have started, when every reasonable mind, through the lesson of the past season, must be convinced of the necessity for combined action. The stock men, the business men, the irrigators, all working together, undoubtedly would greatly strengthen this thread.

LESLIE L. NEAL

A Tree For Our Heroes

The Weather Man started a campaign last Monday to spoil our Tree Planting Day, and after kicking up an awful fuss and dust for hours, finally relented and let it go at that. The exercises conducted by the School Children of the city and the Park Board were carried out as planned, although the pleasure of the occasion was marred to a certain extent by the wind and dust.

The school children of the city in a body sang "America" and otherwise contributed notably to the success of the occasion. Mayor Knight delivered an address appropriate to the occasion. He made a special request that every one of his audience who was alive twenty years from that date be back at that spot at that hour and help honor our fallen war heroes.

An elm tree in memory of the Deaf Smith county boys who fell in defense of Democracy was planted with loving hands. The children sang "The Star Spangled Banner" as the earth was shoveled about the roots of the young tree.

The occasion was a most fitting and happy one and was admirably conducted throughout.

Next Sunday the Christian church will hold a somewhat similar gathering and plant individual trees in memory of the members of that church among the fallen heroes.

REJOICING OVER GRANDSON

The Lawrence County News of Lawrenceville, Illinois, old home of W. E. Neal of Dawn, has the following article in its issue of February 26:

"W. E. Neal had a smile on his face last week that is only worn on special occasions, for instance when William Jennings Bryan is mentioned or somebody talks about the great state of Texas. Inquiry brought forth the information that Texas was responsible for the smile, at least in some small degree, as he had just received a telegram that an 8 1/2 pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Neal, of Dawn, Texas, on Wednesday. As this is his first grandson, Mr. Neal may be pardoned for celebrating the event. Reports indicate that mother and son, are doing very nicely, but Grandfather Neal is very anxious to get back to Dawn and make the acquaintance of the youngster."

Another Well Is Finished

Another milestone in the steady march of the irrigation development in this vicinity was reached this week when D. L. McDonald completed a well for Mr. Percy Welliver on his farm three miles south of Hereford, adjoining the Edwards irrigated farm. Mr. Welliver stated that while it was too early yet, of course, to say definitely just what the well will do, the preliminary pumping tests showed a fifty foot depth of water, with about thirteen or fourteen feet drawn back and a steady stream of the finest water in the world. The rig was removed Wednesday, after putting the new hole to a rigid test for hours.

Mr. Welliver is already getting ready to put in his crop this year and will soon move a house onto the place for the use of Mr. Keith, who will manage the farm.

The new well is about 73 feet to water, and will be operated with a sixty horse power engine, everybody connected with the new enterprise seems much pleased with the performance of the well, and under Mr. Welliver's well-known skilful management it is confidently believed another record irrigation tract has been added to our resources. Next!

THE WEATHER

Fifeful weather, composed of winds, mostly cold, dust, mostly in clouds, threatening rain clouds, and finally, Thursday morning, a miniature snow storm for five minutes, has been our portion the past week. That snow was a real freak. A cloud away off in the north, that did not anywhere reach this immediate vicinity, emitted a wind that was traveling at a terrific rate of speed, and a few snow flakes that were carried miles before the wind on almost a straight line right into our front yards. It was only a flurry and left little traces. Meanwhile, gardens are being broken up and thrifty folks are preparing to raise green things.

CARL COCKRELL ILL.

The many friends of Carl Cockrell have been bothered the past week by his illness, which has confined him to his bed for the greater portion of the time. The trouble is in his eyes, but it is hoped that the crisis is now past and he will soon be able to be about again.

BE A PEPTOMIST!

The Pessimist Says:—"It Can't Be Done"
The Optimist Says:—"It Can Be Done"
The Peptomist is the Guy Who Does It!

CLEANED UP AT AMARILLO AT BIG SALE

3 SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO CHOOSE

Another election for school trustee is nearly here. As probably nearly every one knows, seven members constitute the Board. They serve for a term of two years each. Four are elected one year, and three the next. This is the year we elect three members to succeed those whose terms expire. The other four hold over another year.

The schools are the most important thing with which local government has to do, and yet sometimes it looks as if the people take less interest in them and pay less attention to them than to any other government function.

Usually nobody wants to be a school trustee. They must serve without compensation and the position requires a good deal of attention and thought and trouble if the duties attached to it are well done.

Probably there will be no voluntary candidates for the position this year. It has happened heretofore where the people of the community paid no attention to an election of trustees and had made no nominations for the position, that the election officers on the morning of the election prepared a ticket and had it printed on a few minutes' notice. Under such conditions the people have no voice in selecting trustees, although it is their fault if they do not. But an incident like this ought never to occur, and never would occur if the people were not apathetic and even negligent. We ought to highly resolve that this shall not occur again.

The people ought to search the community and nominate for school trustees the very best talent the community affords.

This is not impracticable nor is it even difficult. There are a number of citizens in this community, both ladies and men; well educated and cultivated, some of them experienced teachers, whose services as trustees would be valuable aid could be had if the people would make an effort to get them. But they will not become voluntary candidates. We stand in our own light when we make no effort to avail ourselves of such services in the management of our schools.

Why not call a mass meeting of the school district and at the meeting select a small committee and instruct it to canvass the districts carefully and to select three of the most suitable and competent persons (in their judgment) for trustees.

Print a ticket with their names on it and in this way make it a citizens ticket. Or some better plan may be suggested. Of course a mistake may be made; that possibility is with us always. But the likelihood of making one will be reduced to a minimum. But lets come alive and take some interest and not let so important a matter go by default.

There would be no politics in it, for everybody wants the schools to be the best possible.

I have been told that the three gentlemen whose terms expire this year are most anxious to be relieved. Some of them have served long, and all have served well. Lets avoid a mistake in selecting their successors.

Wm. M. KNIGHT.

OUR REGISTERED HERE- FORD BREEDERS WIN OUT

For the fourth year in succession Deaf Smith county registered Hereford breeders invaded the Buyers & Sellers Sale at Amarillo last week and skimmed the cream from the sales. As usual the Deaf Smith county quality could not be beaten.

Ima Stanway No. 673544, an April yearling heifer, put up by Jones & Damron of Hereford, topped the sale in her class with \$810. Beau Paladin No. 568509, a bull offered by Grover Sanders of Hereford, topped the Sale in his class, and brought \$1025.

The heifer was purchased by John Gist of Panhandle, and the bull by Gus Coats of Dalhart.

Last year a McSpadden bull from Hereford took the top; the year before that Ray Barber's entry carried off the money, and the year prior to that Jowell & Jowell were victors. Blood will tell, and Deaf Smith county's aristocrats are making 'em all hustle in whatever competition they are found.

Besides these two exhibitors at Amarillo, Jim Sanders, C. C. Bowman and Ray Barber shipped thoroughbreds to the Amarillo show this year. Practically every registered breeder in the county visited the sale, not to mention scores of other cattlemen from this section.

The splendid showing this county has been making for four years hand running in the various Sales has perhaps done more than any one thing to awaken the registered breeders to the possibility of a splendid local Sale each year. This has just resulted in the call for an organization meeting which is outlined in another article.

Lets make Deaf Smith county known from one end of the land to the other as the home of real registered Herefords, real irrigation development, real, profitable combination stock-farming!

A. A. HOLLOWAY BACK IN CHARGE OF LOCAL EXPRESS BUSINESS

On Tuesday, March 4, S. Lue Gilbert, who has been local Express Agent for the past several months, checked over his station to A. A. Holloway, former Agent here, and left for Amarillo. Mr. Gilbert made many friends while here, who regret to lose him. He expects to go to Chicago soon and enter the Auditor's office of the Express Company at that point.

Mr. Holloway is being welcomed back home by his many friends. He resigned the post at the time of the call of the Texas Cavalry to training, and entered the camp at Leon Springs as a non-commissioned officer.

DEATH OF B. J. TURNER.

Ben J. Turner, aged 74, died at his home in Hereford Monday, March 3, 1919. Mr. Turner has been an invalid for the past two years. His death was brought about by paralysis. He was born in Georgia, where he spent the early part of his life, then came to Texas, where he made his home until his death.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Terry at the cemetery at four o'clock Monday afternoon. The deceased is survived by a wife and nine children: Mrs. Tom Rankins of Cleburne, Texas, Mrs. Alf. Hobson, and Mrs. T. Brooksher of Windsor, Ariz., Mrs. Hafe Duncan of Clovis, N. M., and Miss Lucy Turner of Clovis, N. M., P. B. Turner of Phoenix, Ariz., B. F. Turner, J. A. Turner and C. B. Turner of Hereford.

Thoughts of Spring Planting

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YOU CAN BUY ANY KIND OF A GRAIN DRILL, BUT THERE IS ONLY ONE VAN BRUNT. IT HAS INNUMERABLE POINTS

OF SUPERIORITY, but the THREE outstanding features—features to make any man THINK, are:

1. The bearings are guaranteed for the life of the drill.
2. Positive spur geared drive.
3. Will sow from twelve pounds of Alfalfa to all kinds of peas, beans and bearded oats.

We have the John Deere line on exhibition and another car just received.

Garrison Brothers

THE HEREFORD BRAND

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Editor Ben Smith of the Lockney Beacon has the following to say about the oil boom in Texas:

Meeting and greeting one of our business men the other morning, we enquired as to his business. He replied that men this day did not have time to think or talk of business opportunities and future prospects. Its oil talk we hear. The oil business has paralyzed all lines of business. Correct he is, and we want to add, that there is a fearful awakening coming to Texas people. Statistics show that oil speculation is 98 per cent a game of chance. How many will compose that two per cent? The danger lies in the final crash to come. Sooner or later those gushes at Burkburnett and Ranger will play out, and oil stock and leases will not be worth the paper they are written on. As to the proposition that business is paralyzed on account of this oil speculation will say that there is so much invested in oil leases and stocks that there is nothing left to operate legitimate business concerns. The money, if made only benefits a comparative few. It rarely ever goes back into circulation in the community from which it was drawn. It is re-invested in some oil field. Speculation does not benefit the community at large if successful. If the money in the Panhandle was invested in farm enterprises, in stock raising, poultry, hogs, etc., we would have quite a different business situation at the present, and with successful harvests this fall every one would feel the effect of this kind of speculation. The Beacon warns the people against the crash that is bound to come. The man that holds stocks when this oil bubble blows up he will lose his money.

This is making our speech for us. But in this same issue of the Beacon there is a big oil ad from Burkburnett, advertising shares at ten cents!

The Brand man may be a simple soul and not over-bright, but we can't "get" this point of view. We were the same way on the prohibition question: we never could understand how a man could preach prohibition and vote prohibition, and at the same time keep a bottle of nose paint in the barn at home. (We are not speaking about Editor Smith here, as we don't know how he stood on the prohibition question.)

Our Work Sticks

If you want your car PATCHED up, why most any tinker can satisfy you.

If you want it REPAIRED, remade, built up to full auto efficiency, bring it to us.

WE DON'T HAVE TO DO OUR WORK TWICE—IT STICKS.

When we give your car the once over and turn it out for service, you can bet your life it's FIT—in shape to give you satisfactory service.

The longer our work sticks the better advertisement it is for us. That's one reason we take pains.

And then, too, we always like to do the square thing.

We solicit your work—our Mechanics are unexcelled.

THE HEREFORD GARAGE
and Machine Works

Phone 23

We are on the outer edge of the oil boom here, and The Brand has not yet been offered display oil advertising. We are not predicting, but we believe if that time comes The Brand will be foolish enough to turn down such advertising.

KEEPING UP WITH RISING FARM VALUES

(By J. Ogden Armour)

The cost of land, farm implements, farm buildings, labor, are all increasing. Hence the farm must produce greater returns to meet these higher costs and yield proper profits. At the same time, the population increase of the country is outstripping livestock production. Unless greater production is assured the public faces a serious scarcity in its meat supply.

Better livestock is the answer in both cases. Breeding for quality that brings maximum weight at lowest cost and in the shortest time is the best guarantee of increased profits to the farmer and stock-grower, and the best safeguard of the country's meat supply for the future.

A pure-bred animal is twice as efficient as the ordinary steer in turning corn or other concentrates into meat. On the same amount of feed, a blooded Hereford, for instance, will put on more and better quality meat, and attain larger size in a shorter period, than a low-grade steer. In other words it costs practically no more to raise a 1200-pound well-bred steer than a 600-pound scrub—and the profits are vastly larger.

Skinny types of hogs with "too-much daylight under them" cost you extra money in feed and you get little for them. Better grades of sheep produce better profits. Sheep offer two opportunities, wool and mutton, and the need for wool will play an important part in maintaining sheep values for the future.

The smaller the farm, the more important good breeding becomes. Quality-bred animals use the feed to better advantage, give the grower more value per pound, and cost less to produce.

Underlying better production is the need for better farm standards. With the purpose of aiding farmers and growers, Armour and Company have installed a Bureau of Agricultural Research and Economics under the direction of experts. As Armour and Company serve both the grower of meat and the consumer who eats it, what ever benefits both likewise benefits Armour. Livestock producers everywhere are invited to consult freely with this Bureau on their problems of production and animal-husbandry.

Question:—

If a private corporation like Armour & Co. find it profitable to aid production, should not Deaf Smith County employ a County Agent in the public interest?

Crops Saved in Rodent Fight.

Last year 100,861 pounds of poison bait were used by 1,703 cooperative farmers in Utah to stop the enormous losses that have been sustained annually from rodents in that State. This poison was applied on 86,104 acres of infested land, and the farmers reported 892,179 rodents destroyed with an estimated saving in crops of \$702,368. Estimates of the saving accomplished were made by specialists of the Bureau of Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, who aided State and local workers in the enterprise. Farm bureaus already have ordered quantities of strychnine to carry on similar work in the immediate future and have prepared to mix the poison bait at central places and supply it to farmers who agree to use it according to directions and make reports of results. The bureaus say that if the work could be properly financed they could use five times the amount of poison they now have.

Connecticut Has a "\$1,000 Poultry Club.

What is a \$1,000 Poultry Club? Ten girls and boys in Litchfield County, Conn., have formed one, and it has for its aim the clearing of \$1,000 in one year on the poultry owned by the club members. The 10 youths are members of boys' and girls' clubs, supervised by the United States Department of Agriculture and the State agricultural college. They own altogether 350 birds, and they are determined to realize their expectations. The members decided an extension school would be of assistance in their work and, undeterred by the fact that a "junior extension school" had never been conducted in Connecticut before, asked for one from the State college and got it. The attendance throughout the course was excel-

lent and the interest keen. Now the \$1,000 Club is busy putting into practice some of the hints on making money with hens given them by the poultry experts at the school.

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, Inc.

Show Milk's Value to Children.

No more convincing proof of the value of milk in the diet of children can probably be found than in the results of experiments conducted for several months by the home demonstration agent in Manatee County, Fla. She has weighed and measured over 2,000 children, and has found that those weighing and measuring up to the standard, or a little above, are almost without exception receiving a great deal of milk. The children much under the standard have been receiving little or no milk. Carrying the experiment further underweight children began almost immediately to show gains when milk was added to their diet. With such evidence as to the value of milk it is not surprising that Manatee County has more dairy cows now than a year ago, and the number is rapidly increasing. The results of this experiment are being used as one of the arguments in a Statewide campaign for more dairy cows.

Minnesota Leads in Homemade Bread.

Bread like mother used to make is more plentiful in Minnesota than in

Mixed Feed—Meal and Hulls

For Your Milk Cows

McQueen Grain & Coal Co.
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any other State. At least Minnesota leads the Nation in the production of homemade bread, according to reports based on the sale of yeast, say extension workers of the United States Department of Agriculture. For years Pennsylvania held this enviable record with Iowa third and Minnesota fifth, but five years ago bread making clubs were organized by the Federal and State extension forces throughout Minnesota. There have been about 16,000 boys and girls in these clubs each year, and every member has taken part in public demonstrations, and many have contested at the State fair. Three years ago Minnesota went into third place, and in 1918 she took the honor away from Pennsylvania by producing the great amount of homemade bread of any State in the Union.

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Our Banking Principles

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Monday and Tuesday March 10th and 11th

"THE PRUSSIAN CUR"

also "WAR GARDENS," a Christie Comedy; and MUTT and JEFF.

Wednesday and Thursday March 12th and 13th.

Paramount-Aircraft presents MARGURITE CLARK, in

"OUT OF A CLEAR SKY"

also a 2 Reel Western, featuring TOM MIX.

Friday and Saturday March 14-15 (Matinee and Night)

A Paramount-Aircraft Special feature

"THE HUN WITHIN"

with DOROTHY GISH, GEORGE FAWCETT and a Special Star Cast; also "SHE LOVED HIM PLENTY," A Mack Sennett Comedy.

"HANDS UP?" as usual on Friday only.

Prices, Adults (night) 18c war tax 2c-20c
Children (night) 9c war tax 1c-10c
Adults (Matinee) 13c war tax 2c-15c
Children (Mat.) 9c war tax 1c-10c

FRIONA NEWS.

Lucy Goodwine and nee Schlenker, and Mr. Carl er, who are attending school, came down for a visit home folks during Saturday Sunday.

and Mrs. R. H. Kinsley and nd Mrs. A. W. Hensehel were ord visitors Saturday even-

May Doreas Cullum, one of teachers, visited friends in illo Saturday and Sunday, ning Monday morning.

Ben Jordan of Plainview ere a part of last week visit- is sister Miss Ino Jordan.

ny of our farmers are work- their land preparatory to r planting while others are ting to begin in the near e. Some are listing while e are dising.

re seems to be a scarcity of ated land in this vicinity ear. All the cultivated land ten and several parties are e to secure land for planting

This is evidently and in- on that many people consid- prospect good for a bounti- rop this year.

S. Curry has purchased the Steele Mule tractor from Hanson for use in putting crops this season. We now three farm tractors in our ty.

WYCHE-LAKEVIEW

C. J. Paddock spent Thurs- afternoon with Mrs. Nutter, reford.

and Mrs. S. H. Hembree and y visited in the home of Mr. rs. Thornton Sunday.

Fred Curtis, and Mr. and Chas. McNearney were din- uests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. ck Sunday.

W. Hough, and Mr. and Mrs. Garner left Sunday for a ays stay in Swisher County. re Paddock spent Saturday oon with James Dugan.

m Dugan visited in the er home Sunday.

s Eether Schuette spent y with Miss Penelope Nat- Hereford.

want your poultry, eggs, and produce. Come and e Cash.

Hereford Produce Co.

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as long as your old tires are good enough to retread or repair. The prices of new tires have doubled while the cost of vulcanizing remains about the same as for years past. Our retreaded and repaired tires look and act like new tires.

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FROM A. H. ELLISTON

Pomona, Calif., 2-24-19

Mr. Seth B. Holman, Hereford, Texas.

Dear Sir and Friend:

Perhaps a few lines concerning our return trip to California may be of interest to some of our friends and brand readers.

After leaving Hereford our first stop was with Mr. T. B. Kellow and family of Arlington. We found them very comfortably fixed in a nice home, and seemed glad to have us spend a day with them.

Farmer'sville, our old home, was the next stop for one week where we found plenty of mud and bad roads and very disagreeable weather, but for all that we were so royally treated by relatives and friends that we spent a whole week very pleasantly there.

Victoria, 120 east of San Antonio, was our next stop, where we found about the same roads and weather conditions but a live southern Texas town of about 10,000, with sixteen millionaires and multi-millionaires. Here, in company with our brother-in-law, W. D. Coffey, and his wife, who is a twin sister to my wife, we spent another week in sightseeing and left regretting that our time was limited.

San Antonio for two days with our nephew Raymond Elliston, who had received his discharge but was going to remain there for a few days. We saw Ft. Sam Houston and Camp Travis with its multiplied thousands of soldier boys, many of whom had their discharge and were, with cheerful hearts, leaving for their respective homes.

One of the very interesting sights at San Antonio was a visit to the old Buckhorn Saloon to again inspect the world's greatest collection of heads and horns, among which was a set of Deer horns with 78 points. While this was by several points the best there, yet it had several close seconds in skin and beauty. But to my mind the blue ribbon was justly due to the head of the world's champion, old Geronimo, with horns measuring 21 inches around the base and over eleven feet around the curves from tip to tip. (Old Geronimo is a native Texas longhorn raised near San Antonio.) Many other pairs of horns measuring six, seven and eight feet adorned the side walls and ceiling of the building, and many fine sets of Elk and Deer horns as well, some of which was mounted as found in dead-lock, after a deadly conflict for supremacy and championship of their native range.

Another unique sight was the form, and life size, of a Deer and a bunch of Cactus with many leaves made entirely of Rattle Snake Rattles. Oh, well, I wish I could tell you all about the sights there for I'm sure it would enthrall you, but to see it you are simply amazed. So when in San Antonio visit the one and the only one in America; the Buck Horn saloon.

Sabbath was our next stop for one day and night with our old Claude friend, J. C. Finley. He motored us out six miles to see a 2000 acre ranch with a beautiful ranch home decorated with 200 sets of Deer horns kept as Souvenir's of their own holdings. We have a standing invitation (and same is accepted to be there next November and December for a Deer hunt.)

Four days at Uvalde with our old Hereford friend and partner T. J. Graves, who was anxiously awaiting our arrival with many trips planned for our pleasure; one of which was away up in the (hot, high pines) but the tall Cedar's, where the big long horn buck's grow. At the end of the fourth day we caught the S. P. Overland for southern California, landing here as the day was dawning, Feb. 14th, to find the Elliston family at 900 Huntington Blvd., all O. K., but hovering around a bright fire made of limbs from the trimmings of our street trees, the black Acasha, and Say, people, that fire was very acceptable as this Southern Sunny California is having a series of very cold, frosty mornings this winter from the effects of which I fear you Herefordites will have to pay high prices for frozen oranges this year.

I enclose you a clipping from the Pomona Bulletin giving an account of a surprise visit of friends on our arrival home. Several of whom were original Hereford citizens. Sallie and Jessie were the Wright girls.

Very truly yours,

A. H. Elliston and wife.

Supports Family by Home Canning.

The sale of her-canned fruits and vegetables has enabled a woman in Albemarle County, Va., to feed and clothe her eight children the last two years. When war was declared her eldest son enlisted in the Navy. In a few months the second son went into the Army, and the mother was left to wrestle with the problem of providing three meals a day for the eight younger brothers and sisters. About this time the home-demonstration agent of the United States Department of Agriculture and the State Agricultural College was teaching the women in that locality how to can. With a garden which could raise plenty of fruit and vegetables, and with wild fruit to be had for the picking, the mother of 10 decided therein lay the solution of her problem. Results have proved that her judgment was right. Thousands of cans of fruit and vegetables have been put up and sold from this country home. One lot the home-demonstration agent helped her sell brought \$125.

Winter Gardens Popular in Georgia.

One thousand two hundred and fifty-six girls in Georgia, under the instruction of the home-demonstration agent, planted winter and perennial gardens in 1918. Figs, asparagus, new varieties of muscadine grapes, and other fruits and vegetables which increase the variety of food products for the home table or the income of the club members are popular crops in these perennial gardens. The datsheen, chayote, and New Zealand spinach aroused much interest in the localities where they were tried. Seven thousand five hundred and fifty-eight girls in the State con-

ducted demonstrations with one-tenth acre gardens; 3,386 of the members who turned in satisfactory reports grew 2,342,068 pounds of vegetables. The total value of these garden products was \$272,767.93. Last year 100,000 women and girls in Georgia were directly influenced by the home-demonstration agents. The entire strength of the work was placed behind the wartime program of food conservation and production, and 3,101,103 containers of fruit and vegetables valued at \$857,510.58 were conserved by these club members. In addition 68,502 gallons of brined vegetables valued at \$8,340.50, and 320,030 pounds of dried fruits and vegetables valued at \$127,063.38 were saved from waste, to add variety to the Georgia meals this winter.

Canner Made to Pay for Itself.

Many canning clubs organized by the Department of Agriculture and the State colleges use hot-water-bath canners in putting up fruit, vegetables, soup, and meats. Some clubs hesitate to buy because of the expense. The Sheffield club, of Bureau County, Ill., last summer found a way around the difficulty by buying a canner and then renting it part of the time to housewives in the neighborhood at a nominal charge. The balance in the club treasury was not lowered, and the club has on hand a canner for work this summer. The Sheffield club won the right by contest in its own locality to compete at the State fair in Springfield. Taking the first prize there, the members were sent as State champions to the interstate fair at Sioux City, Iowa, to compete with other State teams.

BROOD SOWS AND DAIRY COWS!

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION, GIVING THE LEGISLATURE POWER TO GIVE OR LEND, OR AUTHORIZE THE GIVING OR LENDING, OF THE CREDIT OF THE STATE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSISTING CITIZENS, HEADS OF FAMILIES, TO ACQUIRE OR IMPROVE THEIR HOMES.

House Joint Resolution No. 19.

To amend Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend, or authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes; authorizing the State to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon terms and conditions prescribed by the Legislature; authorizing the Legislature to create such agencies as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section; providing that obligations created under this section shall never be taxed; and providing that the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing any deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and that such obligations shall be secured in addition to the usual liens, by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; and providing that the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into under this provision or any statute enacted thereunder; and providing for the classification of lands acquired under this Act, and limiting acreage sold to any one person where lands are classed as agricultural.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 50, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will read and hereafter be as follows:

Sec. 50. The Legislature shall have no power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State in aid of or to any person, association, or corporation, whether municipal or other, or to pledge the credit of the State in any manner whatsoever, for the payment of the liabilities, present or prospective, of any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation, whatsoever, except that the Legislature shall have the power to give or to lend, or to authorize the giving or lending, of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting native born or naturalized citizens who are heads of families and who will become in good faith actual occupants, to acquire or improve their homes; and for this purpose the State is authorized to acquire, improve, sell or lease real estate or assist such citizens to acquire or improve their homes upon such terms and conditions and in such manner and subject to such limitations as the Legislature may from time to time prescribe. Provided that no land shall be acquired by the State under the terms of this amendment to the Constitution until the said lands are examined, and the value of said lands is appraised and ascertained as to its actual value for agricultural purposes, by a commission hereby authorized, composed of the Governor, Attorney General, Land Commissioner, Comptroller of Public Accounts and the State Treasurer; and their report shall be available to all prospective land purchasers. The Legislature shall have authority to create by law such agencies as may be deemed necessary to effect the purposes of the Act. Obligations created under this section shall never be taxed, and the Legislature shall have authority to provide a method of securing deferred payments for lands purchased hereunder, and in addition to the usual liens may secure the same by an annual assessment collected as a tax against the land; provided, however, the Legislature shall have no power to relieve any person from any obligation entered into with the State under this provision or any statute enacted hereunder. The terms of this Act shall not apply, or be extended to any person who is not a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas and who has not been such citizen at least two years prior to the extension of said act, nor shall the terms of this Act ever be applied to any lands outside of the State of Texas. Provided further that all land acquired by the State under the provisions of this section for which the State may lend its credit shall be classed as agricultural lands or otherwise, and if classed as agricultural lands, then no more than 200 acres shall be

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sold to any one person under the provisions herein.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of May A. D. 1919, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature shall have power to give or lend or authorize the giving or lending of the credit of the State for the purpose of assisting citizens who are heads of families to acquire or improve their homes," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 50, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of 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THE BAY VIEW CLUB

On February 27th, 1919 the Bay View Club had the pleasure of meeting with Mrs. Seth B. Holman and all who "braved" the sand storm to attend felt amply repaid for their efforts. The lesson on Maeterlinck with Mrs. Stubbs as leader, was very interesting as those who were on the program had prepared excellent papers. Mrs. Geo. Garrison presented Maeterlinck's peculiarities of style and Mrs. Holman told the story of Maeterlinck's "Blue Bird," and explained its Symbols very charmingly.

The hostess then served, informally, a delicious lunch of chicken salad, lettuce, sandwiches, pickles and hot coffee.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. C. Laird.

REPORT OF CIRCLE NO. TWO.

The B. W. M. W. met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Edgar Johnson, with thirteen members and one visitor present. Also one new member was taken into the circle.

Mrs. W. H. Gilbreath was leader, the 15th chapter of 2nd Cor. was the scripture lesson and it proved to be a most interesting one. Two beautiful songs were sung after which Mrs. G. M. Suggs offered prayer. An interesting discussion of the bible lesson then followed. Mesdames Homer Wilkinson and Edgar Johnson favored us with a duet "A Perfect Day," which was enjoyed by all. Little Miss Ruby Thompson read Johnie's Confession in a most charming way.

A very interesting business meeting followed and the circle voted to pay ten dollars to the Loyalty Bond. We were then dismissed with prayer after which the hostess served delicious ice cream and cake.

RECITAL

Central School Building Friday
March 7, 7:15 p. m.

Pupils of Misses McClarkin, Story and Coffin

Birds of Paradise (Piano Duet)	Seaborg
Margaret Thompson and Jessie Gilbreath	
In Uniform	Orth
Louise Richers	
a. Valse	Dancla
b. Plantation Air	Foster
Auburn Mace	
The Nursery Queen	Virgil
Bessie Lee Bernard	
Morceau	Kern
Virginia Laird	
Pansy	Greenwald
Maudie Hill	
Wild Flower	Gillet
Lula Orr	
A Small Boy's Troubles	Erich
Marlin Gilliland	
Silent Night	Lange
Gwendolyn Price	
Dreamy Moments (Violin Duet)	Clay
Mabel Bernhardt and Doyle Womble	
In Rank and File	Hollander
Maud Dalton	
A Baldheaded Man	Lange
Mildred Roberts	
Golden Rain	Clay
Audrey Carroll	
Little Chatterbox	Hollander
Lucille Hicks	
Flower Song	Lange
Lula Orr	
A Real Lady	Schaumann
Winnie V. Potts	
a. The Hen	Paderewski
b. Mammy's Picnic	
Ruth Casbolt	
Traumert	Heins
Grace Ferguson	
Minuet	Chopin
Doyle Womble	
Silver Nymph	
Winnie V. Potts	
Pro Patria	
Lena Mae Mounts	
Nocturne op. 32	
Viola Nunn	

I will increase my savings, not tomorrow, or next day, but now!

What your father?

The Dameron home was a place of joy last Saturday evening when Miss Marjorie Dameron assisted by her brother, Travis entertained a number of her young friends. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and the many pot plants of Mrs. Dameron's. The evening's amusement was started by playing that game that causes more laughter than any other ever can, "Stage Coach Turned Over"; this however was only an introduction to the good time that was in store for the guests. After this game had been enjoyed to the fullest extent the some fifty guests were assigned to the different tables where "42" was enjoyed until a late hour. Slips of paper were then passed to each one and carried the words "Find the number like me," this caused much stirring and mixing but at last all numbers had been found then the guests were ushered into the dining room where they were served to ice cream and angel food cake.

Program for Epworth League, March 9th, 1919.

Subject: Soul Winning.
Leader—Miss Annie Price
Song
Prayers
Scripture Reading: Prov. 11: 30; Jas. 5: 20; 1 Cor. 9: 19; Matt. 4: 18-20.
Discussion—Soul-Winning the Christian's Supreme Work. How?
—Leader.
Song
Discussions: Business Association—W. E. Dunlap.
School and College Association—Miss Mavis Terry.
Social Activities—Miss Clara Dunlap.
Boosting all the Services of our Church—W. Jesse Stanford.
Song
Benediction



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Mrs. Russell Carroll was the unexpected hostess to the members of her circle on Friday February 21st. The occasion was honoring Mrs. Carroll's birthday, and as always thought best, a surprise, so the members of the Carroll family were very anxious to have the mother spend the day with some near relative. However she had only arrived at this place, when she was telephoned to return home at once for special company had come in very unexpectedly. On returning to her own home she was very much astonished to find the members of her circle awaiting to greet her. A most delicious dinner had been prepared by them and was served in a most charming manner with Mrs. Carroll at the honor seat. Virola music was enjoyed all through the day. The guests departed for their homes about four o'clock each wishing for Mrs. Carroll many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. J. M. Gilliland was hostess to a few of the young people last Tuesday evening when she entertained with a "42" party. The evening passed very rapidly as the winning couples progressed from table to table. At a late hour the hostess assisted by Misses Carlyle and Roberts served a delicious cream and cake course.

TRIBUTE TO MOTHER BETTS.

It was with a feeling of regret that the Missionary ladies met at the church on Wednesday February 26th, to have one more meeting with Mother Betts, before she leaves for Clarendon where she will make her home in the future.

Mother Betts is one of our most faithful and best loved members and there was a splendid attendance on this occasion. From the seat of honor Mother Betts gave us a heart to heart talk and told us what as a missionary society could do and should do. Mrs. Welliver then expressed in song Mother Betts' life as a christian, its joys and its sorrows.

Mrs. W. A. Price paid a glowing tribute to Mother Betts, as a friend. Mrs. Stocking sang an old favorite song, "Abide with

me." Mrs. D. W. Hawkins made a talk that "touched up" the picture that we all have of Mother Betts.

As the song of "Blest be the Tie that Binds" was sung the ladies formed in line and marched by Mother Betts and each lovingly placed a small gift of remembrance at her feet. Brother Terry then dismissed us with a few earnest words of prayer.

Lesson for March 12, 1919, at the church will be the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd chapters of the study book. All are asked to prepare the following topics:

Song—Mrs. Welliver.
Christianity emphasizes the right to possess, develop and exercise individuality.
Christianity teaches us when to express our individuality.
Instances and phrases of Jesus individuality as expressed by his ministry.
What Characteristic express the individuality of the characters in the lesson?

Program for Y. P. M. S. March 9th, 1919.

Subject: The Parable of the Sower.
Leader—Miss Nellie Clem.
Song
Scripture Reading: John 15: 1-14.
Prayer
Song
Discussion:
The Sower—Winnie V. Potts
The Seed—Cozette Hawkins
The Soil—Miss Annie Price
Central Truth and Practical Application—Miss Mavis Terry.
Song
Benediction.

FROM HERBERT RAYZOR

E. S. S. Brooklyn,
Jan. 17, 1919.

Dearest Mother and home folks:

Received the box all O. K., on the 10th of Jan. It was fine. I sent J. V. all I could of it. I sent his nuts and cake, but the candy in the paper melted; however that didn't hurt it one bit.

Hasn't J. V. told you that we have been separated again? J. V. isn't very "sea-going", so he decided to get on a wagon that did it's cruising around the bay. He was transferred in Alangona, before we went to look for some ship wrecked sailors. We had 14 days of zig-zagging out in the middle of the Pacific, but failed to find them. The best ship was loaded with high explosives and gasoline. She was hit by a light mine and all the wood work burned out. I think the crew has been found before his.

The reason why you haven't received much mail from me is because I haven't written much. We have been on the go ever since we left here before. We have stopped in seven different ports but only for a short time. It was just like being a rat in a pantry in and out all the time.

The explosion that you read of in the paper came as near telling it all, as a paper ever does, but that was one explosion that will never be forgotten by me. We were on a coaling ship in Yoka Homa and had just finished our dinner and was returning to our work, stowing coal in the Bunkers. I was walking in one of the lower bunkers, therefore I was lucky. I had just stepped from the berth deck descended a ladder and stepped into my bunker; when suddenly I took a flying leap of about ten feet. The first thought that entered my head was that a boiler had blown up but I saw that my light was still alive and I knew that if the steam escaped that the light would have gone out at once. Then I thought of the magazine, so I rushed through the air lockers, opened the water tight doors and was met by hot gas and smoke. I was forced to close the door and go to the main deck. There I armed myself with a wet towel and went below.

I was situated, so that I was one of the first to the rescue. After reaching the deck I could see nothing but smoke and the dust was so thick that you could cut it. The gas came near choking me through the towel. You can just imagine how it must have burned the boys the blaze flashed all over every where.

After helping our injured ship mates and we had been mustered all were accounted for; but one; his name was Shaw, so we returned to look for him. He was found in one of the upper bunkers. The doctors said that he never knew what happened. There wasn't a bone left intact in his body. So far there has only been ten to die but twenty six others were badly burned.

The character of the explosion is not yet to be understood. It's the first of it's kind recorded in the naval history and is the second to the worst explosion that ever took place in the U. S. navy. It may be a thousand years before one of its kind happens again.

The second explosion was at Koke Japan, a motor sailing launch, exploded with a 65 gallon tank of gasoline. None of the crew was hurt; but all were forced to jump over board to get out the flames on their clothing.

Lieutenants Lowell and Machen went to save the boat. They were in a small steamer and when they attempted to roll the cask into the water there was another explosion. This explosion burned the two officers and seven of the crew severely, however they all recovered.

I hope that I never see another like these two. It surely makes one episode in my life that I will never forget I try not to even think about it, any more.

I hold the rate of firemen, first class now. I've made two rates for 3rd to 2nd and from 2nd to 1st. My next rate will be engine man.

It's about 11:30 and I have to get

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up for reveille in the morning so I'll close for his time.
Give my love to all,
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P. S. Who ever in the world had the nerve to put it in the papers that the Eleona had been torpedoed? I showed your letter to the sailors on board the Eleona and they all had a good laugh.

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MICKIE SAYS

HEENE, GIVE ME A GLASS OF WATER! I JUST HAD A AWFUL SHOCK! THAT OLD HARD-BOILED EGG WHO'S BACK SIX YEARS ON HIS SUBSCRIPTION, HE CAME IN AFTER WE BEEN THREATENIN' T' SUE HIM. 'N WE WANTED THE BOSS TO THROW OFF SOMETHIN' ON THE BILL BECUZ IT WUZ SO LARGE!! KIN YOU BEAT IT?!



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STRAYED—On to my place 8 miles southeast, 2 two-year-old horse mules, one sorrel horse about 2 years old; one grey mare about 20 years old, branded Lazy H, left hip. June 1-19 C. C. SLAUGHTER.

STRAYED—From Higgins pasture, twenty miles north of Hereford, about Nov. 1st, a Hereford bull branded N. "Bar" on left shoulder. ELMER NOBLE, Dimmitt, Texas. 6-2t-pd

LOST—Lady's grey coat with fur collar. Wednesday March 5th, between Washkoekl place and town. Finder please leave at Brand office. It-pd(46)

STRAYED—to my place five miles west of Dimmitt, one two year old steer branded X on right hip and "Skush" on left hip. 6-2t N. M. Smith, Dimmitt, Texas.

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I will not sell my Government securities for a mess of pottage.

I will have a personal share in my country's victory finance.

I will not let the "Was is over" idea make ungrateful to those who have fought and bled for Liberty.

I will not set aside my newly-acquired habits of thrift and sacrifices, but will "carry on" with greater zeal and enthusiasm than ever before.

WONDERFUL ACTING

You may, perhaps, remember Dorothy Gish's wonderful acting as the Little Disturber in "Hearts of the World." J. D. W. Griffith's great war picture, "The Hun Within," the special Paramount-Arcraft picture produced under Chester Withey's direction which will be shown at the Star theatre Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15, matinee and night, she does some notable acting as Beth, the pretty American girl, who is the heroine of the picture.

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The Armenian relief drive is on Deaf Smith County is asked to contribute \$800. Already three of the churches have taken an offering and the Christians are to contribute Sunday a. m. The school district will be apportioned a moderate sum. Remember our motto, "Over the Top as fast as they Come." A drive will be put on the street next Saturday to give the country Brothers a chance to get in on this worthy cause.

The following is the apportionment for Deaf Smith Co. The teachers will please collect the amounts and turn it into Mr. Parker at the Western National Bank.

Town of Hereford	\$600.00
Union School	15.00
Womble School	15.00
Fairview	15.00
Daniel School	5.00
Dawn School	20.00
Wyehe School	15.00
Progressive School	10.00
Higgins School	5.00
Ford School	15.00
Ward School	7.50
Files School	5.00
Terra Blanco	7.50
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WONDERFUL ACTING

You may, perhaps, remember Dorothy Gish's wonderful acting as the Little Disturber in "Hearts of the World," D. W. Griffith's great war picture. In "The Hun Within," the special Paramount-Artcraft picture produced under Chester Withey's direction which will be shown at the Star theatre Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15, matinee and night, she does some notable acting as Beth, the pretty American girl, who is the heroine of the picture.

Big Production Increase Created To County Agents, North and West.

During the year closing December 31, 1918, 1,100 county agents in the Northern and Western States conducted 74,710 demonstrations and held in connection with these demonstration meetings involving a total attendance of 661,000 people. A total net profit due to increase on the demonstration areas alone amounted to \$21,851,000. This does not include the indirect results from those who put the lesson of demonstration into effect on their own farms, involving a much larger figure.

The agents assisted 323,125 farmers in selecting seed corn for the fields and 513,000 farmers in testing their seed for germination. Under the direction of the agents more than 10,500,000 acres were planted with tested seed; more than 2,000,000 acres of wheat were grown following the agents' advice; 97,315 farmers treated their seed oats for smut involving an acreage of nearly 2,000,000; 23,900 farmers treated their potatoes for disease involving an acreage of 124,000; 15,335 farmers began the growing of alfalfa; sweet clover was introduced on 5,000 farms; soy beans on 1,100 farms; 14,000 orchards were cared for following the agents' suggestions; 32,400 farmers were given assistance in the growing of beans involving 300,000 acres.

In War Food Campaigns. War food production campaigns were given special assistance by county agents through the location and furnishing of farm seeds. Of special significance was the locating of spring wheat for 48,000 farmers, winter wheat for 28,000, oats for 14,000 farmers, corn for 219,000, rye for 11,000, buckwheat for 2,100, barley for 8,100, sugar beets for 2,700, potatoes for 9,200, beans for 4,800, cane or sorghum for 9,100. This involved a total amount of seed of all kinds of 4,250,186 bushels.

As a result of such work the spring wheat acreage was increased by nearly 1,500,000 acres, winter wheat by 2,717,000 acres, oats by 182,000 acres, corn by 597,000 acres, rye by 257,000 acres, buckwheat by 17,000 acres, barley by 122,000 acres, sugar beets by 31,000 acres, beans by 40,000 acres; the production of spring wheat was increased 21,000,000 bushels, of winter wheat 23,076,000 bushels, oats 4,824,000 bushels, corn 12,065,000 bushels, rye 1,651,000 bushels, buckwheat 324,200 bushels, barley 2,817,000 bushels, sugar beets 548,000 tons, potatoes 2,139,000 bushels, 2,139,000 bushels, and beans 332,000 bushels.

Work For Better Live Stock. In connection with live stock the agents secured for farmers 237 registered stallions, 5,117 registered bulls, 8,770 registered cows, 3,113 registered rams, 6,810 registered boars, while more than 10,000 registered sires were transferred from one community to another thereby lengthening the period of service. Cow-testing associations numbering 1,400 were organized, and through these associations and through associations previously organized more than 125,000 cows were under test, and 5,200 cows were discarded as a result of tests during the year; 387 live-stock breeders associations were organized, with a membership of 139,000; 73,000 animals were tested for tuberculosis, 380,000 were treated for black leg, and nearly 500,000 hogs were vaccinated for cholera by veterinarians or farmers at agents' suggestion; 22,873 additional cows were bred as a result of special campaigns conducted by agents; 198,948 sows and 225,596 sheep were placed on farms; 29,000 calves were saved from slaughter.

The number of livestock kept on farms as result of special work of the agents was increased as follows: Cattle, 126,720; hogs, 938,477; sheep, 398,407; poultry, 1,067,430.

Other Work Summarized. Assistance in securing farm tractors was given 5,246 farmers; 214 public markets were established through which were marketed \$14,137,000 worth of farm products; 9,985 farmers were assisted in securing credit for the purchase of machinery, seeds, fertilizers, etc., and 328 farm-loan associations were organized.

Information in regard to the storing of fruits and vegetables was given 154,000 farmers; 3,202,900 quarts of fruits and vegetables were canned as result of county agent work, exclusive of boys and girls' club work; 7,900 canning demonstrations were held for adult women; 752,000 pounds of fruit had vegetables were dried as result of special drying campaigns; and 514,000 dozen eggs were preserved.

More than 8,000 sties were erected, 3,700 crop rotation systems were planned, 7,964 drainage systems were planned involving 362,000 acres, and 318 irrigation systems were planned involving 280,000 acres.

Assistance in starting to keep farm accounts was given 49,000 farmers, while more than 17,000 kept such accounts through the year; 130,101 laborers were furnished the farmers through county agents and farm bureaus, while more than 114,000 people applied to the county agents for work.

The value of business done through co-operative associations and exchanges organized by agents amounted to \$28,702,134, involving a net saving to the farmers of more than \$3,000,000.

Dig Out Common Barberry Now. This is the time to locate barberry bushes, dig them out, and thereby protect the wheat crop of the entire neighborhood from black rust. That is the advice of workers in the United States Department of Agriculture who are directing the campaign to destroy the common barberry. At present about 60 field men are at work in 14 Northern and Central States locating

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"Out of a Clear Sky" Notable Picture Production.

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who appear in support of Marguerite Clark in her newest Paramount photoplay, "Out of a Clear Sky" which will be the principal attraction at the Star theatre Wednesday and Thursday, March 12 and 13. In this respect at least, this photoplay is one of the best shown at any theatre this season.

The leading man is Thomas Meighan, a popular screen actor who has been seen to advantage in numerous Paramount and Artcraft pictures. E. J. Radcliffe, a well known player has a strong role, while Bobby Connelly, a juvenile of reputation, has an excellent characterization. The other players include Robert Vivian, Robert Dudley, Raymond Bloomer, W. P. Lewis, Maggie H. Fisher, Helene Montrose and Nell Clark Keller, all players of ability.

The story of the photoplay deals with a Belgian countess who, to escape an odious marriage, escapes to this country and finds refuge in the mountains of Tennessee where ultimately she also finds happiness in the love of a strong man.

The children's choir at Presbyterian church Sunday 11 a. m.



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CAMP TRAVIS

Travis, Texas, March 3.—A Sixty Dollars will be paid person, who served in the military forces of the United States during the present war and who had not been discharged under conditions since April 6, 1917. This also applies in the case of those who have been placed on inactive duty, at any time thereafter not later than the termination of the current enlistment or term of service, in the case of enlisted personnel, or within 30 days after the termination of the war in the case of officers, may be discharged under honorable conditions.

Department orders to this effect received by the Commanding Officer, Camp Travis, Texas. The orders state that all persons separated from active military service after re-

ceipt of these instructions who are entitled to the bonus will be credited with and paid the money on their final pay voucher. In the event they have been separated from active service prior to receipt of these instructions, but have not yet received final pay, the disbursing officer making final settlement will include and pay the bonus. In making such settlement the disbursing officer in connection with final settlement will show by indorsement on discharge certificate that such bonus was paid.

All persons separated from active military service from April 6, 1917, to date of receipt of these instructions who are entitled to the bonus, and who have received their final pay, will forward claim for such bonus direct to the Zone Finance Officer, Lemon Building, Washington, D. C., who is hereby designated to settle such claim.

Such applications must contain the discharge certificate or order for discharge or relief, if no certificate was issued, both certificate and order if both were issued, the paper bearing in-

dorment of final payment being required; a statement of all military service since April 6, 1917, showing place and data of recording at first military station, and address to which check is to be sent. When settlement is made all personal papers will be returned to applicant with check. No further correspondence is necessary, except to advise in charge of address of applicant. No other disbursing officers are authorized to pay claims covered by this order.

This bonus shall not be paid to any person who through appointed or induced into the military or naval forces on or prior to November 11, 1918, had not reported for duty at his station on or prior to such date, or to any person who has already received one month's pay under provisions of the Act authorizing the President to increase temporarily the military establishment of the United States, approved May 18, 1917, or to any person who is entitled to retirement pay, or to the heirs or legal representatives of any

person entitled to any payment under this section who has died or may die before receiving such payment.

PRESS COMMENTS ON PROHIBITION

The Tucumcari American has compiled a lot of press comments on the new prohibition law which are good, as follows:

Not all today's mourning is limited to the harbor bars.—Newark News.

U. S. A. means U Stay Arid.—Detroit News.

How do the drys "celebrate?"—Brooklyn Eagle.

All states ratifying after Nebraska are extra drys.—New York Sun.

This generation may miss the booze the next will wonder what it was!—Baltimore American.

The shipwrecked sailor of the future may not be so keen about reaching dry land.—Brooklyn Eagle.

According to the liquor men, it is unconstitutional to change the constitution.—Louisville Post.

It is going to take hard work for some people to take to soft drinking.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

Certainly it must be that this country is under a dry moon. But, ah, there's the moonshine!—Baltimore Sun.

The distillers might turn some of their plants into orphan's homes. They are responsible for lots of them.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Just think of the foot notes that will be necessary to make most of Bobby Burn's verse intelligible to coming generations.—Manchester Union.

Enough state legislatures have responded to the poetic appeal of the Prohibitionists: Drink to me only with thine eyes.—New York Evening Sun.

The persiflage between the governors of the Carolinas this morning must sound something like the repartee in a party of deaf mutes dining at an automaton.—New York Evening Post.

The clove business shows signs of panic.—Chicago Daily News.

And the toast will be dry, too!—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The water wagon is a sort of Car of Jug-or-not.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

The Sahara desert at one time was the largest dry area on earth.—Detroit News.

We shall beat our swords into plow shares and our cork screws into button hooks.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Better get rid of the tea and coffee habit. These iniquitous beverages come next.—Chicago Tribune.

There, little brewer, don't you cry; you'll grind sausages by and by.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

When certain people start blowing the foam off of a charlotte russe it's time the United States went dry.—Lackawanna Journal.

A lot of women are going to regret prohibition, the way it will lead to their husbands staying around home.—New York Evening Sun.

The horrendous thought occurs that Russia was the first nation to adopt prohibition. And now look at the darned thing.—New York Tribune.

It is one of life's ironies that the saloon keeper in politics was largely the cause of the passage of the prohibition law.—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

Prohibition may or may not cause a great improvement in the public health, but something tells us that it will do away with a good deal of the necessity for sitting up with sick friends.—Springfield Union.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

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Girl Makes \$98 from Nine Hatches.

A little girl in Orange County, Va., borrowed money from her father to buy nine settings of eggs, so she might belong to a poultry club organized by the United States Department of Agriculture and the State Agricultural College. One setting would have entitled her to a membership, but she is no believer in halfway measures. On this venture her first year's work netted a profit of \$98, and she has three roosters left.

What Your Tailor?

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR AND RELATING TO EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7.

Proposing to amend Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so that it shall hereafter, in substance, provide that every person, male or female, subject to no constitutional disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall reside in this State one year next preceding an election and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; provided electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; declaring that the electors living in any unorganized county may vote at any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; providing that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he or she shall offer to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax has been paid before the 1st day of February next preceding such election; declaring that if said voter shall have lost or misplaced such tax receipt, he or she shall be entitled to vote, upon making affidavit that such tax receipt has been lost, which affidavit must be in writing and left with the judge of the election. And declaring that all laws now on the statutes relating to qualified voters,

and governing and regulating elections shall apply to male or female voters alike; and all laws relating to elections shall remain in full force and effect until changed or modified by the Legislature, and declaring that this amendment to the Constitution shall be self-enacting.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

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Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional

amendment shall be submitted to the vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, the same being the twenty-fourth day of said month; at said election, the votes shall be placed on an official ballot which shall have printed, or written, thereon the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters." All voters favoring this proposed constitutional amendment shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas," and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For the amendment to Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing qualifications for male and female voters," which said erasures shall be made by mark with a pencil, or pen, through said words. All ballots cast, as above provided, shall be counted as cast for or against a proposed amendment, and if a majority shall be for the amendment it shall be declared adopted; if a majority of the votes cast shall be against the amendment, said amendment shall be lost. All provisions of the general election laws, as amended and enforced at the time said election is held, shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of the electors, the methods of holding such elections, and in all other respects so far as such election laws can be made applicable.

Sec. 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and have same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 5. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation and election.

(A true copy.)

GEO. F. HOWARD, Secretary of State.

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Jan. 23, 1919.

Dear folks:

Well I am back from the entertainment given by the Y. M. C. A. so will write you a few lines. I went to Neuf Chateau last Sunday alright and came back Tuesday. We left here at nine a. m. and got to Lexington at noon and ate dinner. Then went on at one o'clock arriving within two miles of Neuf Chateau at 5:45 p. m. and ran out of gasoline so caught a truck and went on in and got a gallon of gasoline and caught a ride back and got in at 7:00 p. m. We started home Monday at 1:30 p. m. and got to a town named Thionville about 25 Kilos at 11 o'clock where we stayed all night, coming on the next day.

The roads were so rough I broke one radious rod and lost some burs off some bolts. So yesterday I went to the repair unit and got the car fixed and today I have done hardly anything. It snowed a little this morning and is real cool tonight. Will close.

With love,
Wagoner Geo. C. Messenger
Field Hospital 358
315 Sanitary Train.
A. P. O. 770 A. E. F.

PREDICTION AND ANSWER

Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Labor, says:

"The present period of readjustment is the critical time. If we can pass through it safely, we have before us from eight to ten years of industrial activity equal to any wave of prosperity we ever had. But if there is any serious employment, there will be a period of industrial unrest which may lead us to a repetition of the French or the Russian revolution."

Secretary Lane, of the Department of the Interior, says:

"If Congress will appropriate the relatively small sum which I have asked for the construction of soldier-settlements in every State in the Union, I can offer jobs almost immediately to 100,000 of our returned fighting men, thus helping to stem the tide of industrial unrest predicted by Secretary Wilson; provide farm homes for 25,000 of these men, thus mitigating the evils of tenantry; and bring into cultivation 1,500,000 acres of at present unproductive land, thus helping to make up the deficiency in the rate of growth of cultivated land as compared with the rate of growth of our population. There can be no surer insurance for the Nation than to put men upon the soil."

REGISTERED AT HOTELS.

Canyon, Texas—Frank Boudie.
Amarillo, Texas—J. H. Beckman, G. H. Boyd, J. B. Ratliff, J. J. Crumm, J. H. Russell.
Plainview, Texas—L. W. Sawyer, E. M. Carter, J. H. Heard.
Dimmitt, Texas—R. Patterson, D. G. Axtell, G. W. Brown, B. A. Fuller, K. C. Sheppard, Elmer Noble.
Childress, Texas—G. M. Barnes.
El Paso, Texas—Wm. Sievers.
Muleshoe, Texas—J. S. McMurtry.
Crosstons, Texas—C. M. Murry.
Dawn, Texas—J. R. Daniel.
Clavis, N. M.—J. W. Haie and wife, J. L. Green.
Dallas, Texas—G. F. Wolf.
Tulla, Texas—T. F. Burks.
Bellevue, N. M.—Ira Miller.
Spring Lake, Texas—Willis C. White.
Kansas City, Mo.—J. O. Patterson, R. J. Cozart, D. P. McCoy.
Chicago, Ill.—P. A. Leward, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyd.
Endee, N. M.—Holt Halloway.
Wichita, Kansas—J. N. Neal, L. V. Sealy, F. K. Raymond.
St. Joseph, Mo.—C. W. Sawyers.
Lawrence, Kansas—Paul Stubbs.
San Antonio—Ervin Houston.

PANHANDLE SWINE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

The spring meeting of the Panhandle Swine Breeders Ass'n. will be held at Childress the 28th and 29th of March, and every one interested in the raising of swine of any kind are cordially invited to attend. We had no meeting in the fall of 1918 on account of the war and the crop conditions, and this is a meeting of vast importance to the industry. We want every body to come out and boost for better and more swine in the Panhandle country. Childress county is the banner county of the state in the pure bred swine industry and has a live bunch of gentlemen in the business, and it will be a pleasure to meet these men and to see the fine herds of pure breeds they are maintaining. The best talent of the state will be there to address the meeting on the problems of the industry, and the look for the pure bred industry, and it will be time and money well invested to come out and hear them.

Hoping to see all the breeders out and to have a good meeting I am,
Yours for Better Swine,
R. E. PREWITT, Pres.
Panhandle Swine Breeders Ass'n.

The question of the restoration of the night trains removed by the Santa Fe last spring was discussed at Monday's meeting of the Directors of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce Judge Gough reported that recently, while on a trip into Central Texas, he had discussed the matter with Railroad

Commissioner Gilmore, who asked to be supplied with data concerning the need for the service, and promised every aid he could possibly give.

The Director instructed the Secretary to write Superintendent Farley of the state of public opinion here on this subject, and suggesting that some steps be taken at once toward the re-establishment of the old service.

At the time the train was removed last year we were at war, and the Directors of the Club went on record to the effect that if the discontinuance of this service was a needed war measure, then Hereford had no complaint to make. Now, however, it is felt that the need for this action has passed, while the need for the train is apparent to anyone—Hereford Brand.

Clavis too would like to see this train put back on. It was a convenience the traveling public is entitled to and should be put on again immediately.—Clavis News.

Ranking fifth in the number of enlisted men furnished the U. S. Army by States, Texas with its contribution of 161,065 men not only exceeded the enlisted strength of the entire Regular U. S. Army of 1917 (121,797 men), but achieved a new record for patriotism and loyalty as well.

Texas with a population of five million gave 161,065 of her sons as against New York's enlistment of 367,864, with a population of over nine million. The three other states following New York's lead are Pennsylvania with 297,891 men; Illinois, 251,074; Ohio, 200,293.

The promptness and willingness with which the State responded to the call of an unprepared nation suddenly plunged into a disastrous war that has wrecked the entire world should be a source of pride and gratitude for every Texan.

They have given the Lone Star a new lustre; have kept her escutcheon free from blot or stain, and have attained everlasting honor for their high courage and their performance of duty.

In the coming Victory Liberty Loan every Texan will be given the chance of raising to the standard set by the State's enlisted men. Fifth place in contribution to the fighting strength of the nation is no mean distinction for a State with a population as scattered as that of Texas. In meeting the country's war debt through the Fifth Liberty Loan, Texas will have the opportunity of acquiring first place in subscriptions to the Victory Liberty Loan. In this way only can she match the superb sacrifice of her men who have given to the utmost for her salvation and honor.

Pig Clubs Lay Good Foundation.

Distribution of pure-bred among the members in Utah has laid a foundation for much improvement in the quality of the pigs raised throughout the State, reports the Utah State club leader. Early last spring it was thought that four or five carloads of pure-bred sows would be sufficient to supply the club members, and arrangements were made through the Ogden and Salt Lake City stockyards for this number—bankers to furnish loans to club members. It was soon found that more animals could be handled to advantage, and six carloads were purchased. A month later the number of cars ordered had increased to 10, and none of the shipments contained anything but pure-bred sows bred to farrow in April. The demand for pigs was so great that following this distributed by July 1. Many of the pure-bred pigs secured were purchased from a father and son in Nebraska who were in the hog business as a result of a prize pig won by the boy in his corn-club work four years previous.

Studies in Stock Raising to Continue.

Investigational work in stock raising on the southern cut-over lands is to be continued. The Secretary of Agriculture has just approved a cooperative project with the Mississippi Experiment Station for experimental work in live-stock production to be carried on at the branch experiment station at McNeil, Miss., in the southern part of the State. This is not a new project but is a continuation of work which has been under way for the past two years on cut-over lands in southern Mississippi. The new arrangement gives the State Experiment Station and the United States Department of Agriculture an opportunity to work out cooperatively some of the problems that confront stock raisers over a large section of the southern cut-over land area.

BROOD SOWS AND DAIRY COWS!

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

House Joint Resolution No. 1.

A resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas, by amending Article 16, Section 20 thereof striking out and repealing said section and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section 20, prohibiting the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of Texas of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes, and providing that the Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section; providing that until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to certain regulations with reference to the same; providing that this amendment shall be self-operative, and until the Legislature shall provide other or different penalties, the violation of any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed a felony punishable by confinement in the penitentiary for a term of years specified, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence; conferring authority upon the District Courts and judges thereof, under their equity powers, to issue upon suit of the Attorney General injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision; providing that, without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of this State; declaring that the Legislature shall have power to pass any additional prohibitory laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed constitutional amendment and prescribing certain rules and regulations with reference to the same; declaring that the provisions of the General Election Law shall govern in all respects as to qualification of electors and methods of holding the election and in all other respects where applicable; directing proclamation for the election and making certain provisions for the election and ballots thereof and methods of voting; prescribing certain duties for the Governor of the State; and making an appropriation to carry out this resolution.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out and repealing Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu of said Section 20 the following:

Sec. 20 (a) The manufacture, sale, barter and exchange in the State of Texas, of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever except for medicinal, scientific or sacramental purposes, are each and all hereby prohibited. The Legislature shall enact laws to enforce this section.

(b) Until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different regulations on the subject, the sale of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicant whatever, for medicinal purposes shall be made only in cases of actual sickness, and then only upon the prescription of a regular practicing physician, subject to the regulations applicable to sales under prescriptions in prohibited territory by virtue of Article 508, Chapter 7, Title 11, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas.

(c) This amendment is self-operative, and until the Legislature shall prescribe other or different penalties, any person, acting for himself or in behalf of another, or in behalf of any partnership, corporation or association of persons, who shall, after the adoption of this amendment, violate any part of this constitutional provision shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and shall, upon conviction in a prosecution commenced, carried on and concluded in the manner prescribed by law in cases of felony, be punished by confinement in the penitentiary for a period of time not less than one year nor more than five years, without the benefit of any law providing for suspended sentence. And the district courts and the judges thereof, under their equity powers, shall have the authority to issue, upon suit of the Attorney General, injunctions against infractions or threatened infractions of any part of this constitutional provision.

(d) Without affecting the provisions herein, intoxicating liquors are declared to be subject to the general police power of the State; and the Legislature shall have the power to pass any additional prohibitory laws, or laws in aid thereof which it may deem advisable.

(e) Liability for violating any liquor laws in force at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall not be affected

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by this amendment, and all remedies, civil and criminal, for such violations shall be preserved.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, being the twenty-fourth day thereof, A. D. 1919. At said election, the vote shall be by official ballot, which shall have printed or written at the top thereof in plain letters the words, "Official Ballot." Said ballot shall have also written or printed thereon the words, "For Prohibition," and the words, "Against Prohibition."

All voters favoring said proposed amendment shall erase the words "Against Prohibition" by making a mark through the same, and those opposing it shall erase the words, "For Prohibition," by making a mark through the same.

If a majority of the votes cast at said election shall be "For Prohibition," said amendment shall be adopted. If a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against Prohibition," the amendment shall be lost, and so forth.

Sec. 3. The Governor or hereby directed to issue proclamation for said election having the same published as the Constitution and laws.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so as may be necessary, is printed out of any funds Treasury, not otherwise to defray the expenses of election. (A true copy.)



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CHURCH NOTES

MEMORIAL TREES WILL BE DEDICATED NEXT SUNDAY AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Next Sunday morning at 10:45, the Christian Endeavors will honor Our Fallen Heroes, who fell on the battle field in Europe, by dedicating some Memorial trees that will be planted Saturday on the church lawn. Also a tree will be planted in Memory of Rev. Shore, the popular pastor of the First Christian Church, who died here a few years ago. The trees shall be known as the Rev. Shore, Wilbur Renfro, Clell Cochell and the Joe Roy Kimbel Memorial tree. This promises to be one of the very best services ever held in the church, and the public is cordially invited to be present and enjoy the services with us. The Christian Endeavors will be in charge. The following is the program:

Communion, hymn 337 "More Holiness Give Me." Song "America" and Invocation. Scripture Reading—Mr. Lee Biggs. Prayer. Anthem "One Sweetly Solemn Thought"—Choir. Address—Our Fallen Heroes—John Myer Asbell. Solo—Miss Zena Owen. Address, Memorial Trees—Judge Gough. Closing Hymn—"Bless Be the Tie that Binds," 196. Judge Gough's address will be delivered from the Balcony of the church, at which time the trees will be named. The other services of the day are as follows: Christian Endeavor at a quarter of six, Mrs. Roberta Dyar leader, and a Union service with the Presbyterians, at seven. The Union services will be held at the Presbyterian church. At the Father and Son meeting last Sunday p. m. a conservative estimate placed the audience at four hundred. If you want an en-

joyable Sunday p. m. as well as a profitable one attend these Union meetings.

Bible school is growing every Sunday, don't miss it, 9:45. A special invitation is extended to the returned Soldiers and Sailors, to be present and help us honor their Comrades who never came back, we would be glad to have you sit in a body, in a section we will reserve for you.

J. M. ASBELL, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

The usual services will be at the usual hours.

At the morning service there will be a special program of music, consisting of a song by the children, a violin solo and a solo by Mrs. Homer Fox. The theme for the morning will be "God's Prevenient Goodness."

The union service will be at our church and a large attendance is expected. We had a fine service last Sunday night at the Christian church. Come and help make all these services interesting and helpful.

W. M. BAKER, Pastor.

Christian Science Church. Sunday March 9th, 1919.

Subject—Man.

C. E. Program for March, 9, 1919.

Topic—Loss by looking (temperance meeting.)

Scripture—Prov. 23: 29-35.

Song service. Information Committee's report.

Song. Sentence Prayer. Extracts from "Hunts in Hell" Dorothy Boardman.

What is the need of the temperance reform in the country; now that the saloon is abolished—Mae Womack.

How did the saloon men try to perpetuate their power—Arthur Rogers.

Quartette. Talk—Prohibition, now what next—Roy Nunn.

Debate—Resolve that the church should provide a substitute for the saloon.

Piano Duet—Doyle and Jesse Womble.

What should be the next work of the C. E. for the promotion of temperance—Brother Baker.

Business. Leader—Loyal McDuff.

Sun Beam Program.

Subject—The Temperance of God's Word.

Leader—Noma Baker.

Song. Prayer.

Scripture—Nehemiah 2: 1-8.

By Leader. The Importance of God's Work—Betty Carter.

Special Song. Doing the Will of God from the Heart—David Clarke.

Song. Sword Drill—By All.

Benediction.

The Juvenile Missionary Society Will Meet at the Church March 8, 3 p. m.

Subject—"The Great Helper"

Song—"Help Somebody Today."

Reading—Jim Potts.

Reading—Jewel White.

Song—"Two Little Hands."

Reading—Gwendolin Spradley.

The Best Gift—George Gordon Heard.

Song—"Send The Light."

Reading—Gwendolyn Price.

Inestions from Missionary Catechism—By Supt.

Benediction.

Highest market price paid for Liberty Bonds and City and County Warrants, 3-7-19.

T. K. WILSON.

Junior C. E. Program for March 9, 1919.

Topic: Joseph the Faithful.

Song service with the Intermediates.

Reading—Charles Ferguson Jr.

Scripture: Gen. 39: 21-23—Gordon Witherspoon.

Joseph's Dream—Francis Guinn.

Sold to Egyptians—Jack Fuqua.

In Person—Willard Witherspoon.

Treatment of his brothers and father—Paul Baker.

Joseph Necessima of Japan—Eleanor Stubbs.

Bible verses followed by sentence prayers.

Collection. Leader—Ema Mae Hastings.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13. A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousands," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousand," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting."

Good Times Ahead—

A year of wonderful possibilities lies before us. Signs innumerable point to good times ahead. And we shall have them if, individually, we keep this simple formula in mind: "Stay on the job and continue to practice those economies which grim war has taught us: work, earn, save, avoid extravagance in every form."

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and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

Be It Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section No. 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 5. ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION. He shall at stated times receive as compensation for his service an annual salary of ten thousand dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture, and this clause shall be self-enacting.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, same being the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1919, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to make the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same duly pub-

lished as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State and the official ballot shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and also the words, "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas."

in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas." If a majority of votes cast shall be "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be lost and shall be so declared.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary to cover the necessary expenses attached to the proclamation and publication of this amendment, and the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation and cause the same to be duly published. (A true copy.)

GEORGE E. HOWARD, Secretary of State.

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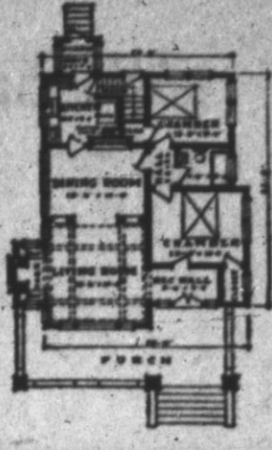
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ALVIN C. THOMPSON, Manager

Sergt. Bill Argo arrived Tuesday from Camp Shelby, Miss., where he has been in training; he will only spend a few days with his sister Mrs. Alex Thompson and will then go to Phoenix, Ariz., where he has accepted his old position.

MONEY.

Austin & Wilson, at T. K. Wilson's office, have \$250,000 to loan on farm and ranch land. 3-17

Mrs. J. S. Magill and children returned to their home in Plainview Thursday after a visit with Mrs. Magill's uncle C. P. Artfar.

W. E. HICKS

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Mr. H. W. Garrett, of Plainview was a business visitor in Hereford Wednesday of this week.

GOVERNMENT LOANS.

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J. Frank Potts.
Secy-Treas. Hereford N. F. L. A.
54-17

Mr. and Mrs. Sherm Williams attended the cattlemen's convention in Amarillo for two days last week.

Violin solo at Presbyterian church 11 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Todd of Canadian, Texas, who are visiting Mrs. Todd's mother Mrs. Patton attended the convention at El Paso this week.

If you want a good broom don't fail to call on We can save you money. Hereford Produce Co.

Grandmother Galloway left the first of the week for Wichita Falls, Texas, where she will make her home in the future.

Will pay highest cash price for Liberty Bonds any issue. Potts, Miller & Company. 54-17

Mrs. I. W. Valentine went to Amarillo Tuesday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Thompson who is in the Sanitarium there.

Daily quotation, received, and highest market price paid for Liberty Bonds. T. K. WILSON.

Mrs. J. D. Thompson returned from Amarillo Tuesday where she had spent the past week with Mrs. Roy Thompson.

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Miss Bernice Parker returned to her home in Canyon Tuesday after a visit in the home of her sister Mrs. B. F. Hodges.

Use Perfecto flour, the best on the market. Perfecto flour takes all the premiums at the baking contests. Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. Cal Powelson left Tuesday for a visit with her friend Mrs. A. A. Keeler, of Dawn, Texas.

NOTICE.

Any one wanting to order flowers from Cunningham's Green House at Amarillo for parties etc., please phone Mrs. Edgar Johnson.

Carl Gilliland returned Tuesday from a business trip to Colorado.

Evaporated cranberries are nice for your Sunday dinners. Hereford Produce Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Copeland left Tuesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Wichita Falls, Dallas, Ft. Worth and Waco.

Don't forget to get our prices for onion sets before buying. We save you money. Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. H. C. Maddox and son H. C. Jr., left for their home in Oklahoma last Tuesday after a visit with Mrs. Maddox's mother Mrs. Tom Wilson.

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Mrs. Homer Fox sings at the Presbyterian church 11 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Garnett returned Sunday from Hollene, N. M., where they have been visiting their daughter Mrs. B. Ross.

We pay the highest price cash for produce. Call us before selling. Hereford Produce Co.

Miss Gladys Hillipor, of Blake, Okla., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. O. T. Dixon, returned home Monday.

Miss Cora F. Thompson of Topeka, Kansas, was a business visitor in Hereford for a few days this week.

Feed your cows bran and shorts. Cream is bringing a fine price. Hereford Produce Co.

Mrs. A. A. Keeler, of Dawn, Texas, spent the week-end with friends in Hereford last week.

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L. W. Carlyle left Thursday for a business trip to Clovis, N. M.

Mr. D. F. Ashbrook left Wednesday for a business trip to Amarillo.

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Fred Seeford, of New York, returned to report of duty at Camp Funston, last Sunday after spending a furlough with his friend Jake Boydston.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Edgar Johnson went to Wichita Falls, Texas, last Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barnett are spending a few days in Hereford this week.

G. M. Suggs left Wednesday for a business trip to Denton, Texas, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones were among the ones to attend the convention in Amarillo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and daughter Mrs. Bill Smith left Tuesday for an extended visit in Vermont and from there they will visit the Great Lakes and other places in the east. It is probable that they will look for a new home while on the trip.

Miss Laura Kibbe who is attending school in Canyon spent the week-end with some folks last week.



Mrs. Christine Frederick, noted Household Efficiency authority, head of Appliance Experiment Station, New York.
Miss Alice Bradley, Principal of Miss Farmer's School of Cookery, Massachusetts.
Mrs. H. M. Dunlap, Domestic Science Expert, Ill.

Mrs. Alice E. Dresser, Consultant of Household Administration, Massachusetts.
Mrs. Janet M. Hill, Principal of the Summer School of Cookery, New Hampshire, Editor and Author.
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