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French Heap Praise On American Troops

ENEMY IS QUICKLY BEATEN

Although Almost Surrounded One Detachment Boldly Attacks and Drives Out Invaders

Washington, March 9.-German troops in their attack in Lorraine on the night of March 4 twice gained a footing in the American trenches only to be driven out in fierce fighting. An official dispatch today from France giving the French view of the encounter said the Americans showed a "rare quality of courage, self-possession and calm bravery which won them admiration of the neighboring French troops and the hearty congratulations of the French high command."

The Americans engaged were the latest to enter the trenches, going into training with the French. First news of their presence on the battle line came in the French official statement of March 5, which told of their brave conduct in repulsing the Germans. Today's dis patch which gave the first details of the fighting said:

"After a very heavy artillery preparation, including shells of all calibers, which completely demolished the pedo her will be fought back. ground of the sector, a strong attack was made upon the positions occupied by the Americans. . A few of the counter-attack threw them back in confusion.

"Meanwhile another section suc-

in stealing their way into the lines and Henry, S. E. Kelley, T. A. Murray, Supt. attempting a flanking movement A. V. Riley, and W. A. Smith present. which was on the point of succeeding. Here especially the Americans gave liams, and Archie Woods. a single prisoner in his hands.

the morning, an American patrol of Stock Exhibits, S. E. Kelley. four men and one Sergeant encountered an enemy patrol that was cutting the barbed wire and which was ties and without considering their cessions. numerical inferiority the American patrol threw themselves upon the adbringing back with them two prison-

"In the attack and in the defense the American soldiers assumed the brilliant place which they intend to hold among the allies' armies.'

DRAFTED AND INDUCTED RE-CRUITS

The Local Selection Board has received the following letter from Major John C. Townes, Jr., Supervisor, Selective Service Law in Texas:

to the Camp Commanders.

but no occurrences of the kind referred | ter." to above will be tolerated. The honor | Webster says the aurora borealis is evidences of a rather comprehensive of being an American soldier is the a luminous meteoric phenomenon, conception of the subject at hand. greatest one that can be conferred visible only at night, and supposed to upon a man in this crisis. On future be of electrical origin. This species of entrainments kindly admonish your light usually appears in streams, biography was the classic studied and men that any misconduct is punish- ascending towards the zenith from a the pupils had a very clear appreciaable. This is only a precautionary dusky line or bank, a few degrees tion of the book as a whole. The dismeasure, as we feel sure that in most above the northern horizon. Occasion- cussions were free, the teacher mere- Mrs. Lyde Petty. instances it will be entirely unneces- ally the aurora appears as an arch of ly, leading. sary to remind them of the respect light across the heavens from east which is due the Flag and the ser- to west. vice."

Monday here with R. P. Elrod, county American Morino Buck, J. D. Irvin. agricultural agent. Together they No. 475 Tuesday. He was shipped went to Dallas this week to hear from Lafayette, Ohio, and was on the with three sets of maps and charts David Houston, Secretary of Agri- road one week, short only one day culture in President Wilson's Cabi- He was a very fine loking animal and net.

mother, Mrs. G. A. Walters.

Non-Sinkable Boat Starts for Europe

Washington, March 10 .- The inspection of the purported non-sinkable steamer Lucia by a board of naval experts headed by Rear Admiral A. G. Winterhalter has been completed at Norfolk, Va.

The members of the board returned to Washington today.

Admiral Winterhalter stated tonight that with the data obtained of the technical phases of the nonsinkable boat question. This will require a week or ten days, the admiral said, before his report would be ready for the secretary to read.

The Lucia tonight was ready to face the supreme test-a voyage through the infested zone. The navy department declines to state whether or not she has started on her voyage across the Atlantic. It was understood there are no further reasons why she should not resume the trip, begun at New Orleans last week.

The Lucia will not invite an attack, to substantiate the claim that she cannot be sunk.

Any U-boat which attempts to tor-

Admiral Winterhalter's board will report to the navy department on the practicability of applying to transa trench but an energetic and severe able appliances installed on the Lucia.

FAIR DIRECTORS MEETING

The regular meeting of the Fair Treasurer T. A. Murray, John Seiders, this visitor: "A third company finally succeeded, secretary and other directors T. C. San Saba High School, W. W. Hart, of the Executive Committee last week filed for violation of the ordinance. Absent, W. V. Dean, Joe A. Wil-

April meeting of the directors.

Many of our people saw something comprehensive. unusual for this part of the country "This office is just in receipt of ad- time. This appeared as a great light tory is well kept, reducing the loss vice from one of the Texas General in the northern heavens. Some of time in manipulating the equipment Passenger Agents to the effect that thought at first that some great city to a minimum. derly. Such conduct ill becomes an returning from church at the time and the pupils a foundation that will be forced to report all such conduct as the world was evidently "burning more than fifty lines of Virgil. up." The good parson assured her

RECEIVES FINE BUCK

District agent, R. W. Persons spent | W. R. Baxter received a fine fleecy many people in town Wednesday inspected him while tied on the court given for physiology. Mrs. Joe S. Clark is at Temple for yard lawn a part of the afternoon. thing extra.

Supt. Hart Re-Elected U. S. Pistol Wins

For Two Years-Affiliation Increased Two Units.

The board of trustees of the San Saba high school at the March meeting last week did the great thing and re-elected Supt. W. W. Hart for two years. This was done and an increase of salary went with the re-election. This is the strongest proof possible of the complete and unanimous satisfaction with the administration of through a personal examination of the high school under the supervision the ship now in hand, the naval ex- of Supt. Hart. He has been at the perts would make a thorough study head of the school for two years now the rifle or the bayonet, but the pistol ficient consideration and various other and the standard of work is meeting is always available, the only draw- irregularities. the people, and also that of the Uni- which is not frequently. to 21 units. The work of the school sued to the men is absolutely infallible and good will in the school that would as wounding him. be hard to beat. The graduation class for this year is one of the largest RED CROSS ANNOUNCEMENTS and best equipped ever turned out. mnt was here recently and was very much interested in the grading, the cirriculum and the work of the school He also recommended some increased units of affiliation as will be noted from the report which is herewith enemy succeeded in penetrating into ports and naval vessels the nonsink- published in full. This visitor came unannounced and his observations on the work of the classes are of work without any special preparation for the inspection. No one knew that he was coming. Neither the teachers nor Thanks to all who joined, to all who ceeded in cutting the barbed wire in directors was held at the office of the pupils were prepared, except for helped on the various teams, and to front of the positions where the fight- the Secretary Tuesday morning, the regular routine recitation Here is all who gave. But let it be said here ing was going on but they also were March 12th, with President R. W. the report in full just as it was sub- and now that we must adopt a plan were first coming into use and has that are not remediable but which are quickly dispersed by the precise fir- Burleson, vice-president E. E. Fagg, mitted to the state department by that will bring in some money every never been tested the case now on

proof of splendid energy and a morale - The President announced the ap- second floor of a three-story stone ize on each month. beyond all praise. Almost entirely pointment of the Chairmen of the building, of which the elementary Let every article be returned as surrounded they did not dream for standing committee as follows: Agri- school occupies the other two stories soon as completed. This is the inone instant of surrendering and their culture, W. A. Smith; Amusements, An evidence of foresight in the erect struction of the government. Some efforts to extricate themselves were Archie Woods; Finance, T. C. Henry; tion of this building is the fact that keep them two or three weeks. This so determined that they succeeded in Buildings and Grounds, Joe A. Wil- there are more rooms than are needed is wrong. We are at war now. Delays MEN VOLUNTARILY INDUCTED displacing the enemy without leaving liams; Privileges and Concessions, E. at present. Everything about the are dangerous. The soldiers on the E. Fagg; Printing and Program, A. building is kept in place, orderliness border of No Man's Land will need The Local Board reports the fol- trants who happen to read this Bullying principle of the school. This is the Red Cross.

The Agricultural committee was in- The high school library is well structed to confer with County Dem- equipped, and the books, for the most versaries and after a furious combat onstration Agent R. P. Elrod, as to part, are well selected. The books for ing room in February. succeeded in putting them to flight, premiums, camps, etc. for the Boys each subject are kept together, each The secretary was requested to sub- are these deficiencies, however, which med. mit a rule or by-law for adoption at the visitor was assured would be the next monthly meeting providing met: Source books for ancient history, for a fine or penalty for failure to supplementary classics and some modattend monthly meetings by the di- ern fiction. Furthermore, it is recommended that the sets of maps and charts now in use in the high school AURORA BOREALIS be replaced by some more modern and

degree (! efficiency.

The school is giving three courses Thursday night of last week. They of science for which adequate appasaw the Aurora Borealis for the first ratus has been provided. The labora-

a contingent of recruits recently en- was on fire. Others that the world A ninth grade Latin class did some trained by a certain county for a might be coming to an end. Some of good work. The teacher is emphasizmobilization camp were very disor- the dusky population of town were ing the construction work, giving to American soldier on his advent into discovered the light. One good sister render easy that which is to follow. the service, and this Department will suggested that a prayer was in order The eleventh grade read with ease

An eighth grade history class was "As a general rule, recruit; entrain- that the "world is not coming to an not very well prepared, but the ex-

> A ninth grade English class did some good work. Franklin's Auto-

Recommendations

ancient history, and supplementary classics for English.

2. That the high school be provided more comprehensive than the ones now in use.

3. That one-half unit of credit be

satisfactry.

For Sammies

With the American Army in France March 10.—The ascendancy in close fighting in No Man's Land and in the trenches as far as pistols are concerned now rests with the Americans.

The big and powerful 45-caliber automatic pistols which the Americans carry into the fray are proving a highly efficient weapon in the trench warfare and in the close fighting at hand to hand.

with the approval of the board and back being when the weapon jams, versity and the State Department of Formerly the smaller 28-caliber the further agreement to drill, pay a

Education. The school is now affiliated pistol was used, but it was found it with the State University and the would not put the enemy out quickly other higher institutions of learning enough. The larger weapon now isthis year has been of universal satis- in this respect, as the force of the buifaction. There is a spirit of unity let knocks the victim down as well

The superviscor of the state depart- week the following donations have getting \$2.00 and more an acre is sore.

Holt		\$13.	5(
Richland	Springs	32.	5(
Algerita		2.	50
McMillin		2.	00
DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF THE			2.1

our recent drive, so far reported, up to \$1416.13. This is a very fine showing for this county at this time. and it seemed to be the unanimous

behind what was intended.

and Girls clubs, and report at the teacher knowing what books she has shirts, 87 T bandages, 55 triangular rick Riley Presswood, Hiram Daven- Washington (as applied to this counand what use to make of them. There bandages, 78 straight bandages hem- port, John Riley Graves, and George ty) which brought forth the regis-

> Woolen Articles in February gloves, 24 helmets, 3 mufflers.

> socks, 5 pair gloves, 1 sweater. Colony Annex:-4 pair socks.

pajama suits. Bowser: -2 pair socks.

Bend:-11 hospital bed shirts. Elm Grove-18 hospital bed shirts, pair pajama suits.

nated goods for 12 hospital bed shirts. Infantry is still in force.

Woolen articles sent to Houston since February 5th.

mets, 21 pair gloves, 2 mufflers. Wool articles on hand:

One box of made garments sent to ed by Local Boards in this State have end, tho it may be a token that world cellent instruction of the teacher headquarters February 13th, containconducted themselves very creditably, am comin' to an end some day, sis- drew the pupils out until at the close ing 48 pair pajamas, 66 hospital bed Many Leases-Drilling to Begin writing, telegraphing or telephoning of the recitation there were visible shirts, 21 Bed socks, 24 operating

jama suits.

and Friday afternoon.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. S. F. acre.

Burleson, Mrs. Light. Mrs. G. A. Arhelger,

getting out the supplies to the school of that village. 4. That an additional unit be given trustees. The local trustees are respecial medical treatment. She was Mr. Baxter has some fine Morinos al- in Latin, provided the specimens of quired, under the law, to post the nomake the returns.

FIRST OIL SUIT

EARLY OIL LEASES ARE UN SATISFACTORY—PRICES NOW MUCH HIGHER

The first echo of the dissatisfaction of those people who leased for oi! development early in the game is now heard. The talk of suits for cancellation has been talked for several weeks. The first actual suit filed with district clerk, John H. Moore, came last week. Walker & Burleson filed this suit for W. E. Johnson against Frequently it is impossible to use S. H. Jackson, leasor, alleging insuf-

for a small cash consideration and royalty, etc. Since the game became given in the local newspapers an more interesting and the wells con- amendment has been made to the tinued to come in from Brownwood regulations governing physical examfield and further up the line the lease price has continued to advance. Now the lands in the north part of the county are leasing all the way from 25 cents to \$5 an acre. The man who leased early for a nominal cash price Since the statement sent out last and now sees his nearest neighbor!

FILLING STATION CASE UP

Quite an interesting case is to be tried in the city court next Monday morning when what is known as the This brings the total donations for gasoline filling station case comes up for trial. The case originated in a complaint filed against a local garage for placing a gasoline filling station on the curb in violation of a city own expense. Group C, which includes ordinance. This ordinance was passed men found to be physically qualified several years back when automobiles for limited or special military sermonth. I mentioned this at a meeting docket being the only complaint ever

As Brady is the only town in this, unconditional rejection. Visited by J. P. Buck, Feb. 21, 1918. opinion that we would need to have section with such an ordinance the San Saba high school occupies the a supscription list that we could real- result of the case is awaited with interest. Sam McCollum has been retained to represent the owners of the know their Order Number. A great garage in the case and C. C. House many do not know the difference bewill represent the city.-Brady Senti-

"The same date, towards 4:30 in V. Riley; Race track, W. V. Dean; and system seeming to be the under- the bandages and garments made by lowing voluntary inductions to date: letin is expressly called to what fol-William Alfred Whitley, Reuben Wal- lows. The Serial Number is the num-The petition of W. H. Ponton, and reflected not only in the conduct of Below is the report of work done ter Harper, Robert Cornelius Graham, ber given a registrant by this Board others for use of the Park for a the puv'ls, but also in their work. Re during the month of February by the Claude Herman Killgore, Ethel An- itself. Now that the order in which Christadelphian meeting about April sults are obtained with a maximum ladies. Mrs. G. A. Arhelger, director drew Hunt, Will Harrell, Thomas Cal- a registrant is liable to be called for composed of nine men. Giving proof 5th,-7th, was granted with the usual of ease, everyone seeming intent up- of women's work was sick last week vin Rainey, Jophas Augustus Mays, military service has been determined. this time of splendid offensive quali- reservations as to grounds and con- on do'ny his task with the highest and the report is therefore one week James Luther Rainey, John Andrew the Serial Number becomes less im-Archer, Leonard Lafayette Brown, portant than the Order Number and G. W. Light, Chairman Pub. Com. Jesse Albert Osborn, James Dow for all practical purposes it is neces-Made in San Saba Red Cross sew- Coughran, Walter Burnie Brown, sary for a registrant to memorize his Emett Alfred Lewis, William Homer Order Number only. The Order Num-44 pajama suits, 42 hospital bed Coughran, Roy Jennings Byrd, Fred- ber is the number of the drawing at Harvey McCaleb-making up to and trant's Serial Number. For example, including Tuesday, the 12th, twenty- if a man's Serial Number is 996 and 19 pair socks, 9 sweaters, 10 pair one in all; an exceptionally good his Order Number is 285, this means record for the period in question for that as applied to the particular juris-Cherokee Annex:—6 pair pajamas, a registration district of the size of diction of his Local Board serial num-6 hospital shirts, 6 helmets, 9 pair this one. All of these men were in- ber 996 was the 285th number drawn ducted into the Coast Artillery Corps at Washington. Notwithstanding the and sent to Fort Logan, Colorado, placing of registrants within five Pecan Grove: - 6 pair socks, 8 pair near Denver. The Board has several classes in classifying them, their reapplications for voluntary inductions spective Order Numbers still hold in on hand an dother men are due to be the Classes within which they are inducted later in the week.

Sloan:-Misses Sloan made and do- tion Call permitting induction into the Order Numbers in that Class have

18 sweatres, 53 pair socks, 30 hel- every man individually or voluntarily stated above in view and the further voluntarily enlisted the first half of records according to their order num-13 pair socks, 6 helmets, 4 pair last December, during the period reg- ber, we shall take this occasion to regloves, 2 mufflers and 1 cotton wash istrants were allowed to enlist in the quest once more all registrants to

OIL FEVER INCREASES

The oil fever in San Saba county Made garments on hand March 1st. continues without any abating. All Southwestern Phone 65; Martin 236. 47 hospital bed shirts, 33 pair pa- the lands not leased early in the San Saba, Texas, March 12, 1918. game, that is last fall or since Janu-Meet every Tuesday, Wednesday, ary are being taken as fast as the

the lay of the land in the oil boom. | Liberty Hill.

1. The opportunity to be voluntarily inducted into the Army, according to the plan explained in the Bulletin for last week, was taken advantage of by 16 registrants for the week, and three more were inducted Monday of this week, with three due to be inducted this date, Tuesday. The three inductionss calls announced in last week's Bulletin are still in force. No new ones have to date been issued.

2. The Board is still engaged in ex-Many of the first leases were taken amining physically men in Class 1. Since the series of excerpts from the Selective Service Regulations was inations, which made it necessary for this Board to reclassify a number of men who had been placed in Class V and place them in Class 1. Such amendment provides for three subclassifications under Class 1; namely: Group A, which includes all men unconditionally accepted for military service. Group B, which includes men found to be physically qualified for NEXT MONDAY MORNING military duty when cured of some remediable defect. Should it ever become necessary to draft Class 1, Group B men, their defects will be remedied at such hospitals as may be designated by the Surgeon General. except as to those men who prior to the time they are called for service have had their defects cured at their that are not remediable but which are not sufficiently incapacitating to bring them within the standards of

3. The experience of this Board has shown that only a very small per cent of the registrants of this jurisdiction tween their Order Number and their Serial Number; others, in attempting to memorize both numbers cannot remember which one is their Order Number. The attention of all regisrespectively placed. For example, a So far the boys have favored the registrant in any given class is due Coast Artillery; however an Induc- to be drafted after all men with lower been called but before all men with The Board states that credit will higher Order Numbers in such Glass be obtained on the next quota for have been called. With what has been inducted, as well as for the men who fact that registrants are listed in our memorize their ORDER NUMBER and be prepared to give same to us when calling at this office or when to us.

San Saba County Selection Board.

Postmaster Longley calls attention owners will part with the lease rights. to a recent ruling from the Postoffice Chairman for Tuesday afternoon, In the north part of the county land Department at Washington increasing is now leasing as high as \$5.00 an the weight limits of parcel post packages. The weight limit for parcels for W. Hudson; Friday afternoon, Mrs. A drill rig is reported to be in place delivery in the first, second or third 1. That the library be provided with B. T. Rich. Chairman bandage room, on the John Beasley place on the zones has been given an increase to approximately \$50 worth of books for Mrs. Carl Jones. Cutters, Mrs. B. A. Colorado river at Milburn and another 70 pounds and in the fourth and all is expected to be placed on the R. B. other zones to 50 pounds. Formerly Hyde pasture near Holt within the the parcels limit in the first and sec-Superintendent Women's Work. next 30 days. Also report from Loc- ond zones was 50 pounds, and in all ker is that the order is placed for a other zones 20 pounds. The increase The election of school trustees for rig which is expected to arrive most has been made, it is stated, in order the common school districts will be any day for the drilling of a deep to encourage the farmers and people held on the first Saturday in April. well on one of the leases near Locker, of rural communities to market more Superintendent Brown is now busy supposedly to the north or northeast of their products through the parcel post system.

C. A. Russell of Kellar is here this U. T. Chamberlain is visiting his accompanied by Mr. Clark and her ready in his flock and this is some- written work to be submitted, prove tices and hold the election, and then week to visit relatives and find out daughter, Mrs. Alex Conway, at

San Saba County Organized to Win Its Liberty Loan Flag

Mr. W. W. Zimmerman of the War Loan Division of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas was here and organized committees to direct work on the third Liberty Loan issue which starts April 6th.

"The Treasury department will it has raised the quota alloted to it on the third Liberty Loan," said Mr. Zimmerman, and San Saba county will surely win its flag, for it is now organized for an aggressive campaign, ly under the leadership of an able committee. The committee will do its part in bringing to the people the need of doing their utmost toward partment of agriculture, in conjuncwinning the war, by buying Liberty Bonds, and I am sure the patriotic people of this county will show they realize that everyone must do their utmost, and will respond by buying their individual quota, that is, as many bonds, as their means will allow. Immense sums are needed to continually finance this war, and they can only be obtained by all the people appointed by the commissioners' court subscribing to Liberty Bonds, as for the year 1918. Beginning with much as possible. Do not feel proud road precinct two and going to 62 that you have bought a bond, but only they are: Jim T. Kelley, J. M. Owen when you have bought as much as J. W. Dickison, C. M. Holcomb, H. C. you can afford; if you possess more Smith, P. P. Ray, T. W. Boyett, Newt and their ladies visited Sunday evenwealth than some, it is your privilege Lucas, Ben Broyles, O. E. Stafford, and your duty to buy that much more | Miles Millican, W. J. Millican, Theo of bonds. You are not patriotic until McCoury, Will Towerton, T. O. Parks you have done your full part, and the W. W. Gilliland, Gus Behrens, R. E stern necessity of the war will cause Moore, Charlie Mackie, R. L. Oliver, all of us, to judge our fellows, as to W. S. Duey, Tom J. Moore, D. D. whether or not they are truly patri- | Smith, C. L. Singleton, Willie Saylor, otic. We are all true at heart, so let Carl Bryant, R. P. Edgerton, John us show it in our deeds. Patriotism Sloan, Frank Yarborough, Newell nated as the "presiding judge." demands sacrifice, for war is but a Graves, Joe Turner, Elvin Wells, series of sacrifices, and now let every- Claude Golden, W. E. Johnson, Milton one in San Saba county show their Stanley, Eustice Whitehead, Mac patriotism by saving and economizing Baskin, R. F. Thomas, Will Parks that each may buy more Liberty M. R. Horton, Oscar Ponton, T. C Bonds. The Federal Reserve Bank has Powell, Lee Gauny, Drew Polk, J. P. appointed the following county com- Mullins, W. H. Taylor, Otto Bode, mittee:

R. A. Brite, W. A. Smith.

appointed the following as sub-chair- Eckert, Ed Day, Hugh Hogan, Leslie men, one for each of the voting pre- Davenport, Al Knight, R. B. Smith, cincts of the county. They are: Har- Hilliard Perry, Jim Chamberlain, Tom mony, John Huffstetler; Colony, J. D. Christian. Parker; Rough Creek, Frank Long; Bend, W. J. Millican; Cherokee, A. B. Ernest Grumbles writes his parents Taff; Sloan, J. A. Sloan; Cold Creek, from Camp Merrett, New Jersey, that C. D. Lange; Latham, W. W. Weaver; he is well and enjoying Uncle Sam's Richland Springs, J. B. Miller; Holt, service. He is with the Medical Corps, J. L. Locker; Bowser, R. L. Havins; which he joined last July as a vol-Locker, Hila Coffey; Algerita, J. A. unteer and went east to accompany Gaddy; China, W. J. Johnson; Spring a troop train. He says he is seeing Creek, W. J. Smith; McMillin, J. B. lots of the country and especially en-Taff; Chappel, J. R. McRorey; Shaw joyed Washington City and New York. Bend, E. Q. Magee; Fairview, J. T. Taylor; Mt. Pleasant, J. H. Lindsey; W. J. Moore arrived at home last Northwest, Cecil Smith; Hall, K. week from Sunnyside, Ark., where he Davenport.

last week.

\$2,000,000 FOR

Austin, March 4 .- The West Texas frouth relief bill, providing for an appropriation of \$2,000,000 to be loaned to farmers through the counsend a flag to each community when ties was passed finally in the house this afternoon by a vote of 101 to 8. The bill carries an emergency clause and if passed by a two-thirds vote of senate will go into effect immediate-

> The bill provides that the fund shall be administered by the state detion with other state officials. It i understood that a fight will be made in the senate to place the administration of the bill under the State Council of Defense.

ROAD OVERSEERS

The following are the road overseers Clyde Painter, J. S. Capps, T. K. A. V. Riley, chairman; R. R. Low, Adams, A. J. Wood, Geo. Bagley, R. W. Burleson, U. M. Sanderson, R. Morris Bloomer, U. D. Wilson, Charles S. Crain, Gordon Mackey, W. V. Dean, Shipp, Jim Maxwell, Wesley Hardman, E. E. Leherer, S. F. Doughty, The Federal Reserve Bank has also J. P. Sallee, J. A. McKown, Victor May, J. M. Owens and Jack Crump.

is now located on the large plantation which he bought last year. He will be J. L. Yarborough of Fredericksburg at home only for a short while to was a visitor at this office one day help the boys, who arre in charge of the Wilmore ranch.



Miss Lora Hanna, who is just up from a long spell of pneumonia, in company with her sister, Eula, returned home at Cherokee and will in a few days return and take charge of her school at Bethel.

ALGERITA

(By Petra)

Clay Walker of Cherokee was in the prospective oil field Sunday looking at the formation and stratas of the earth and seems to be pleased at the indication.

Prof. O. K. Graham and lady of Cherokee were here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives and old friends.

The young people enjoyed a Singing Sunday night at M. J. Lane's John Bogard bought 1600 pounds of Irish potatoes to plant.

Oil Men from various parts of the United States are visiting our promising oil field and seem to be pleased with the indication for oi.

Mrs. D. W. McNatt is on the sick

Henderson Coughran has leased his land to the oil men as he was in favor of helping to develop our county Bethel school is progressing nice-

Both teacher and pupils of Algeria are doing fine work

Tom Warren and A thur Carter ing at the home of G. R. Lane.

JUDGES OF ELECTIONS

The following were appointed by the commissioners' court as election judges for the next two years. The first named for each precinct is desig-

San Saba, O. D. Kirkpatrirk, A. R. Hill, R. Thornton and C. T. Jones. Harmony, R. L. Oliver and Hubert Cates.

Colony-W. G. Kolb and T. O. Parks.

Rough Creek-W. H. Smelser and T. J. Gregg.

Bend-R. A. Brazil and J. N. Alex-

Cherokee-W. W. Mitchel, J. S. Wallace-T. K. Dismukes and A. J. Harkey.

Latham-Hugh Barber, Jr., and

Tom Latham. Richland Springs-Eugene Prather, T. J. Murray, J. T. Woods and D O.

Holt-J. L. Locker and W. P. Gober. Bowser-W. R. Martin and Frank

E. Grimes. Locker-J. A. Parks and John Cof-

Algerita-M. J. Lane and Newt Mc-Daniel.

W. R. Ledbetter.

Shaw Bend-E. Q. Magee and C. H.

Mt. Pleasant-Frank Williams and S. E. Owens.

Chamberlain.

Archer.

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Thousands of women in Texas have overcome their sufferings, and have been cured of woman's ills by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This temperance medicine, though started nearly half a century ago, sells most widely today. It can now be had in tablet form (60c a package) as well as liquid, and every woman who suffers from backache, headache, nervousness, should take this " Pre scription" of Dr. Pierce's. It is prepared from nature's roots and herbs and does not contain a particle of alcohol or any narcotic. It's not a secret prescription, for its ingredients are printed on wrapper. Send 10c for trial package tablets to Doctor V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.



"I was run-down. I took two bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescrip tion and it worked wonders for me. I was enabled to do my own work, and I would recommend it to any lady who s suffering."-MRS. HANNAH ALICE NEWSOME,

DALLAS, TEXAS .-

Kerens, Texas.—"I am very glad to say I used Dr. Pierce's Remedies. Seventeen years ago I had woman's disease. I went to our family physician and he told me to get Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that it was as good as anything he could give me. A few bottles of Dr. Pierce's medicine cured me sound and well of woman's disease. I have also written to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel for advice which was always promptly given, without any charge."—Mrs. D.T. FAUGHN, Route 1, Box 93.

I AM THE PRINTING PRESS. (By Robert H. Davis.

I am the printing press, born of the mother earth. My heart is of steel, my imbs are of iron, and fingers are of

I sing the songs of the world, the oratorios of history, the symphonies of all time.

I am the voice of today, the herald of tomorrow. I weave into the warp of the past the woof of the future. I tell the stories of peace and war alike.

I make the human heart beat with passion or tenderness. I stir the pulse of nations and make brave men do braver deeds and soldiers die. I inspire the midnight toiler, weary

at his loom, to lift his head again and gaze, with fearlessness, into the vast beyond, seeking the consolation of a hope eternal.

When I speak a myraid people listen to my voice. The Saxon, the Latin, the Celt, the Hun, the Slav, the Hindu, all comprehend me.

I am the tireless clarion of the news. I cry your joys and sorrows every hour. I fill the dullard's mind with thoughts uplifting. I am light, knowledge, power. I epitomize the conquests of mind over matter.

I am the record of all things mankind has achieved. My off-spring comes to you in the candle's glow, amid the dim lamps of poverty, the splendor of riches; at sunrise, at high noon and in the waning evening.

I am the laughter and tears of the world, and I shall never die until all Confidential Letter From the Devil to things return to the immutable dust. I am the printing press.

Also. (By Davis H. Roberts.)

You can bet your life I am the printing press.

And this is what they make me do: They make a terrible liar out of me. They make me turn 800 somesaults turned 2,500.

terrible things.

human race. Ah, me!

world off that the coal order was not extra bayonetted German soldiers. Sloan-J. R. Ellis and Will Doran. issued on heatless Monday, wheatless Cold Creek-Lee Draper and C. D. Tuesday or meatless Wednesday, but on brainless Thursday.

Sometimes they give me a wash, but not very often in the country. They give me a kick, and away I go. I have a grand time.

It's all very well to say, "I shall never die until all things return to the immutable dust," but they disintegrate me in d-d short order if the installment is not paid.

Boy Scouts

Inasmuch as I was out of town on uary 26th: China-Jack Johnson and Joe Tur- Monday evening, the regular Scout meeting for this week will be held, at Spring Creek-Milton Stanley and Scout Headquarters, on Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, and all en-McMillin-J. B. Taff and Luther listed scouts are expected to be present at this time. Any young man who Chappel-Bart Hillin and John has passed his twelfth birthday, and would like to join the Boy Scouts, is Fairview-W. A. Jones and Elvin invited to meet with us.

T. J. Tanner. Scoutmaster.

Miss Alvina Arhelger arrived at home one day last week to see her Northwest-L. C. Smith and Jim mother, Mrs. G. A. Arhelger, who has been dangerously sick, tho is now Hall-George Bagley and J. M. much improved. Miss Alvina is a student in Kidd-Key College,



Thedford's

Mrs. W. F. Pickle, of Rising Fawn, Ga., writes: "We have used Thedford's Black-Draught as a family medicine. My mother=in-law could not take calomel as it seemed too strong for her, so she used Black-Draught as a mild laxative and liver regulator... We use it in the family and believe it is the best medicine for the liver made." Try it. Thedford's. 25c a pack-

Good honest labor never hurt anybody. Worry kills more people every year than work. It's always the idle man who finds things to kick and complain about.

The farmer works. So does the merchant. So does the professional man. So does the banker. Work takes the kinks out of a man's head, the frog out of his throat, the gas off his stomach, the weariness out of his legs and gives him a good appetite, a clearer vision and an honest living. Add to this a nice little savings account at our bank where a part of his earnings are gradually accumulating and there will be contentment also. Your account may mean more work for us but we will be glad to do it. That's what we are here for.

THE DEVIL AND THE BABIES SPOT THE SPY, AD CLUB SLOGAN

the Kaiser.

(De-coded by Eugene H. Blake) of the Vigilantes.

Infernal Palace, Hades.

My Dear Kaiser:

So many people are always saying, 'Give the Devil his due," that few and then swear by all that's holy I've people would believe what they heard about our frightfulness, even after Then they make me grind out some you announced you were going in for it to make the inferior nations re-I rol over and over and then tell spect your government. When ruthe world that the nimble flea has the mors reached the outside world about icthiosaurus skinned a mile when it bayonetting babies in Belgium most comes to getting a move on, thus people dismissed the thought as a proving that horse racing and intem- lie got up by some newspaper reperance are the besetting sins of the porter. I wish those allied soldiers the Germans wiser! Be a conversahad thought it was not so. Each tion miser! If you want to can the When I roll over again I tip the bayonetted baby means ten thousand

And now, Wilhelm, the evidence is getting stronger than ever against us. What you reckon?

You remember that Captain A. P. sealed, your heart steeled. Simmons of the United States Army, attached to the American embassy in Don't tell all you know. Berlin when we got this war started. in Germany during the mobilization. and those Americans sent him to Germany because they could trust

"Don't let anyone tell you that German atrocities are merely fiction. street car may furnish a spy with the One of the most gruesome sights I missing link in a long chain. When in ever saw was the impaling of babies doubt, don't say it. on the ends of German bayonets and their return to frantic mothers."

Later, he tells those Americans, spies is everywhere. s worn down to the bones of our feed on little crumbs of conversation,

You know the Nazarene said, "Sufme," and the world has been getting Washington. Three cowboys caught so tender with the kids ever since the spy whose papers exposed Arnold that's why it's going hard with us Keep your eyes open. Report suspinow. Wilhelm, my friend, we're up cious persons who ask curious quesagainst it. Baker says more than a tions. fear every one of them is going to put Have you qualified yet for your iron up a most Myself of a fight when they cross? get at us.

Yours for Kultur, BEELZEBUB. Prince of Devils and Kaiser of Hades.

CUMBERLAND CHURCH

"Now thanks be unto God which always causeth us to triumph in Christ." The Lord is bountifully blessing us

n causing us to increase. I am sure that the friends of the Cumberland Church are thankful to God for what He has done, is doing, and has promsed to do, for they are availing themselves of the opportunity to express it.10:00 a. m.

Sunday school Preaching every Sunday.11:00 o'clock

7:30 o'clock Prayer meeting (Friday)....7:30 p. m. T. J. Tanner.

Harmony Ridge

for His goodness to us, His creation, whose we are, because He has bought us.

Let all who possibly can, and are truly thankful to God, come to Sunday deavor to dismiss at 4:15.

T. J. Tanner.

(From Ft. Worth Star-Telegram)

The menace of German spies in the United States is the theme of a series of slogans issued by the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World for use during March by members in advertisements. The slogans follow:

"Our enemies over here are trying to hurt our boys over there. Our enemies are listening. Don't talk.

Germans, their agents and sympa-

If you know anything Germany would like to know, let this be your Speechless Day.

thizers, are trying to overhear you. Keep quiet! Don't talk! Don't talk. If you want to help this nation, don't talk! Cut the public conversation. Don't talk! Do not make

Kaiser, don't talk! The spy is always hugry for information. His motto is: "Every little bit added to what you've got makes a

whole lot more." Don't add your bit.

Keep your eyes peeled, your lips Your idle prattle may lose a battle.

The German spy chief, Stieber, You know he was military observer claimed that he won the Franco-Prussian war with his army spies ahead of the troops. The German spy-

army invaded America long ago. him. Well, he's back home. And A postcard left in a captured Gerhere's what he up and tells the Re- man trench told the British just what publican Club in New York on Jan- they needed to know of a certain

One German army has already oc-

A careless remark dropped in a

cupied America. The invisible host of 'We've got to sacrifice till the skin | Swat the fly! Spot the spy! Spies

ands. The dragon is just outside our little glances of observation. Starve them out! Benedict Arnold was an American fer the little children to come unto officer trusted and loved by George

million more of those American sol- / It is rumored the kaiser is making a diers are ready. They've got the evi- special lot of iron crosses for Ameridence on us. That's what makes me cans who help him by careless talk.

> Don't tell all you know to people you don't.

A word to the spies is sufficient. Don't tell all you know.

Everyman's Pledge-America shall win this war! Therefore, I will work, I will save, I will sacrifice, I will endure. I will fight-cheerfully and to my utmost-as if the whole outcome of the struggle depended upon me

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject:-Planning for the Future. Leader-Vera Harber. Song.

Silent Prayer.

Piano Solo-Mynogene Kimbrough. Planning for the future of our Epworth League-Lula Biggs.

Plan for Growth .- Mabel Wilson. Special Song-Ruth Harkey, Mary Ellen Walker, Dunn Johnston. Plan to act .- Tom Petty.

Master's Plans .- Cyril Deese. Plan to Be An Efficient Epworthean "Greatly to be praised is the Lord" -Wilma Quinn.

Benediction.

Roll Call.

Dr. A. B. Williamson and wife of school and church next Sunday, March Fredericksburg have been visiting the 17th, at the Cumberland Church. Sun- former's father, Dr. J. A. Wiliamson, day school at 2:30-preaching follow- and family at Cherokee. These with ing immediately, and we shall en- Miss Sallie Williamson motored over to Indian Gap the first of the week to visit Dr. and Mrs. Alex Williamson.



Let Your Dollars Be Patriots!



This war is a test of a democratic Government. It is also a trial of democracy as to its fitness to survive. A small group of autocrats within whose hands are the resources of Central Europe are attacking the principle of the right of people to govern themselves. Should the United States and the allies fail in this war there will not remain on earth a people absolutely independent of the dictation of the Teutonic empires, organized for military efficiency and bent on using that efficiency for the purpose of forcing their will upon the world. Let the Teutons triumph and the world will not be a safe place for democracy, and to make it such a safe place, is not only the expressed purpose of the United States in taking up the challenge of the Huns, but also the purpose of the other powers who took up the challenge when Germany sent it forth three years and a half ago, and who for three years and a half have borne the burden of the conflict.

For this reason the PRESENT BUSINESS OF THE UNITED STATES IS WAR—war to exterminate organized unrighteousness and to establish peace among the nations of the world.

*The Government has perfected a plan which will enable all of our people without exception to take a definite part in winning the war.

One of the first great steps called for by the Government is—SAVING. The American people must cease to require all of the pleasant luxuries which they consumed before the war, the production of which calls for the energy of millions of men and women. These men and women must devote themselves to the production of the things which are needed to win the war. This is the key to the present situation; it rests in the hands of the average man, woman and child in every state in the Union, by refraining from everything not absolutely necessary to health, and efficiency, to release strong arms for the production of materials of war to support our army and navy.

Idle dollars are SLACKER dollars, but dollars spent for unnecessary articles, the production of which require labor and materials which the government needs to save the lives of our fighting men, are TRAITOR dollars.

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LICK A STAMP TO LICK THE KAISER

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1918 W. A. Smith... Editor and Proprietor R. L. Peisker

Official Organ of San Saba County

County, Texas, every Thursday and a great cause. It is bringing out any kind of an article-material entered at the Postoffice in San Saba, the greatness of the human soul. or intellectual-before the war. Texas, as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES Three Months

SUN-OF-A-GUN

Delenda Est Kaiser

is the Federal constitution.

People, there was plenty of thunder on February 28. This is

But what's the difference.

more racial fathers. Every man down. was a volunteer. Something for Berlin to think about.

so help to win the war.

shing is now in the battle line at Toul.

to visit parents, sweethearts race two years ago, but the or- Terms: Strictly cash in advance. trenches. Those at home today a former newspaper man and is fees are paid at this office. may not be here again before a loved member of the State they go over the top over there. Press Association. For some It is a noble thing to be a sol- five years he has been practic dier for freedom.

ham): An Iowa editor, owing to clean man. He has been a con- The San Saba News. tions to all those who were in ar- going to vote for Clarence Gilrears. At the bottom of the bills more, if he doesn't do something in a jocular mood he added, worse than he has already, and For District Clerk: to tell you how much I love you." possible. One of the bills went to a grass him for breach of promise.

Easily Refuted

nied all miracles.

so near the equator."

—Christian Register. boom for this county is hamper- perfectly agreeable to it just as about the oil development in the not a Latin scholar and it doesn't quarters, or oil exchange. A will be good. big hotel with ample lobby acinvestment here.

SABA NEWS cause. Their prayers are for German-German Kultur. Ger-Mrs. W. A. Smith....Associate Editor for him at home. It is mothers' as a truth that German efficien-Published at San Saba, San Saba is a great war. It is a war for open sesame to popularity for

.\$1.50 one of those old time clouds knows that the suggestion was .75 which in the long ago banked up the only basis for this belief. in the northwest late in the af- As Sun-of-a-Gun sees it, there ternoon. It came rolling and are no nationalities in the Unit-rumbling. Great streaks of ed States, but Americans. There bank to bank as the cloud came German, French, etc. All men of Russia is all in; she is done. strong southeast wind which gone thru the melting pot are had blown for some 48 hours. Americans. All others are trai-There is one man in Texas yet | Peal on peal the thunder roared. | tors. This cannot be a nation of who still thinks that Joe Bailey But there is no use to go fur- one people and two languages. ther, people, you know what we To teach the German language are thinking about.

a sure sign there may be a frost soul so dead, who never to himon the 28th of April. Watch and self hath said this is my own, my native land. Mark such a one. He has not contributed to There have been a thousand the Red Cross, he has not bought fortunes made in San Saba coun- a Thrift Stamp nor a Liberty ty since January first, Most, or bond, he hasn't observed wheat- Kings is German. The only literall, of these have been on paper. less day. He has done nothing ature that teaches the survival for his people or his government. He is a traitor, mark him, and The casualty list sent from when the soldiers of Texas France for March 1 includes men come back home, some of them from 21 Tmerican States. The maimed and wounded, let them names would indicate five or know who tried to shoot them afraid that he will be misled in-

News will issue an Easter Edi-The honor roll this week is not tion and Candidates' Number so long as on some former oc- and it may be that Sun-of-a-Gun casions. However, every new will be crowded out. The fact is subscriber to the News now gets that we are kicked around at a 25 cent War Thrift Stamp. will in this office. If the make-up that he will be misled into athe-When you subscribe you get man wants to kick some one out ism or infidelity, he, perhaps, your money's worth and you al- of the forms we get it and some had better let it alone. This is times get it good and stout. distinctly a war of ideals. And Strange to say, but some folks as we see the proposition, it is Bit by bit the true history of don't seem to appreciate us just folly to teach an ideal and then 1914 is being written correctly. as well as we appreciate ourself fight it. To win this gigantic The insolent and perfidious Ger- anyway—we are sorry for them. war the United States has got man proposal that France should Any way Mrs. Maid J. Allen to beat the German soldier on keep out of the war and give Neal is getting out that Num- the battle field and then beat Verdun and Toul as pawn ber and it will be good even if the German intellect in every pledges is admitted at last. we are not in it. If it takes that field of human endeavor. It is France refused and glorified to get in the Candidates' Num- American ideals and not Gerhistory at Verdun. General Per- ber we may become a candidate. man ideals which should be

Hon. Clarence Gilmore has announced his candidacy for the Some of the soldier boys from office of Railroad Commissioner. Announcements. this county are home this week Clarence started to make the ing law at Wills Point and has made a success here as in the West Texas Reporter (Gra- journalistic field. Gilmore is a Fees do not include subscription to the high cost of paper, was sistent democrat and a prohibi- For District Attorney, 33rd Judicial forced to mail bills for subscrip- tionist in every contest. We are "This is not a dun; I just wanted the Kaiser knows that is hardly

widow, and now she is suing In trouble again, that's Sunof-a-Gun. The sentiment at the head of this column was placed there when war was declared. For Sheriff: The colored preacher, it is re- Delenda est Kaiser. We suppose lated, was a higher critic and de- there is some Latin in that ex- For Tax Collector: pression. It is a sentiment hand-"But, Caleb, how about the ed down from the days of Rome Hebrews crossing the Red Sea?" and Carthage. In the first place "I'll 'splain dat. Dey crossed we hadn't carried it very long over on solid ice, and next day until along came Dr. Power and it was very warm, and de 'Gyp- informed us that the spelling tians just broke through de ice." was bum. That was corrected. But, Caleb, ice does not form Now the Latin class in the San Saba high school buts in and "Dat objection is nuffin'. In says the whole thing is out of dem days dere was no equator." joint and the gender is punk. We have corrected again. Here For County Clerk: goes another stab at it. Delendus Hotel accommodations are so est Hohenzollern. If this needs limited in San Saba that the oil any more corrections we are ed. People go from here to soon as our attention is called. Brownwood to get information The fact is that Sun-of-a-Gun is shadow of our homes. The situ- embarrass us one particle to be ation might be somewhat bet- called down. But the first one For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: tered if there was a commercial who objects to the sentiment organization to establish and will get called down himself in For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1 maintain a kind of an oil head- this column-and the calling

commodations would be a good A bill introduced in the State legislature last week would prohibit the teaching of the German * If Governor Hobby signs the language in the schools of Tex- * * * * * * * * * State of Texas, County of San Saba, ss: bill for statutory prohibition in as. The question called forth the greatest benefactor the state in the House. All of the press, pasas and spent Sunday. Mrs. Carmen admire high ideals, noble spoken against the proposition. several weeks, remained at home. character and courageous deeds Even the "Parson" in the his name will be fresh in the Brownwood Bulletin calls it a B. R. Wilson of the Bowser comminds and hearts of a grateful "foolish agitation." In the face munity passed thru Tuesday enroute people. The mothers of Texas of all this Sun-of-a-Gun dares home for a few days from Camp have given their boys, a sacri- to take his stand. We are in a Bowie. He is a soldier in Battery A fice on the altar of freedom's war with everything that is 133 Field Artillery.

their boys. And every soldier is man philosophy and German some mother's boy. And no sol- Kultur are at the foundation of dier's heart is braver than the this tragic war. Before the war mother's heart who kissed him people of all nationalities had good bye. No soldier can fight repeated German suggestion untruer than the heart that prays til everywhere it was accepted prayers and not tinkling glasses cy had the world beat. "Made in that make men truly brave. This Germany" had come to be the Every student of current history What we would like to see is for the last four years now lightning played vertically from are no English, Scottish, Irish, steadily on in the face of a every foreign lineage who have in our schools is to teach the German Kultur to our children Breathes there a man with -our people. If "some of the world's best literature is written in German" it is also true that no better literature is written than in French and Spanish. The only current literature that defends the divine right of of the physical fittest is German. To teach the German language without teaching German Philosophy is an impossibility. The "Parson" says: "If any man is to imperialism and militarism by reading German authors, he. The 28 of this month the perhaps, had better let it alone.' On the same theory, we suppose, we should teach Tom Paine and Bob Ingersol in our religious instruction to the youth of the land, and if any man is afraid taught in American schools.

and friends. Others of our boys ganized democratic executive No announcement inserted unless have gone to France. Still others committee denied him the right cash accompanies same. Announceare moving towards the battle to a place on the ticket. He is ments inserted in the order in which

Congressional	\$15.00
District	10.00
County	7.50
Precincts	5.00

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This season more than ever before you want to be cautious when buying your Spring Clothes.

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Styleplus Clothes \$21 and \$25

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Never before has our Hat Department been able to show so many new Styles and colors. Come in and try on a few

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CITY NATIONAL BANK

Report of condition of the

SAN SABA, TEXAS

In the state of Texas, at the close of business on March 4th, 1918.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c)\$310,135.75 Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 57a) 11,000.00 299,135.75 famous Ventura Boulevard for the Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2 per cent and 4 per cent, Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) Value of banking house..... Furniture and fixtures Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank..... Cash in vault and net amounts due from nat'l bk Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, and 15 Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17) ... Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18..... Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items ... War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned Other assets, if any .\$414,872.04 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in... \$100,000.00 Surplus fund Undivided profits Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid...... Net amounts due to National banks 363.37 Total of items 32 and 33..... Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject

to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject to check..... Cashier's checks outstanding ... Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36,

Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d) ...

I, R. W. Burleson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear Texas he will then have been some rather acrimonious debate J. E. Carson came up from Lam- that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. R. W. Burleson, Cashier. has ever known. And as long as so far as we have noted, has son, who has been at Lampasas for Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1918.

Leigh Burleson, Notary Public. Correct-Attest: T. C. Henry

J. T. McConnell T. A. Murray.

Directors.

"ALIMONY" HOLDS UP SUNDAY AUTO TRAVEL

"Alimony," which shows next Saturday night at the Majestic theatre. held up the auto traffic on one of the biggest boulevards of Southern California recently. During the course of the plot, "Bernice Bristol Flint," an adventuress; "Howard Turner," a wealthy young clubman, and several detectives figure in some sensational auto chases. Director Emmett J. Flynn selected about a mile of the scene of these thrilling rides. Not 10,050.00 wishing to risk any collisions and also desiring to have no breaks in the action, Mr. Flynn had his assistants warn the various auto parties that 3,000.00 "something was doing" and to wait. 10,000.00 The result was that scores of ma-3,000.00 chines were halted at either end of 21,146.12 the course until the various scenes 58,393.83 could be taken. Fully an hour was required and, for the time being, "Alimony" held the exclusive run of the road. When the movie men had finished they folded their tripods, slipped into waiting autos and away, leaving the waiting tangle of motor cars to

straighten itself out as best it could. It is expected that this picture will prove not only sensational from the 104.09 swift action of the plot but the moral" behind it will cause reform in the present system of referee-recommended divorces.

M. M. M. CLUB

The three M's Club were guests of Mrs. Elton Nobles Wednesday after-6,824.30 noon. Three tables were placed for 363.37 the game of "500." The score cards were in pink and white and the color scheme was carried out in the refreshments and prizes. In a cut with everyone for the consolation prize Miss 3,036.30 Annette Moore was given a pair of white silk hose. Mrs. W. E. Barrow won the booby which was a pink and white tea towel. Those enjoying this hospitality were: MesdamesA. Hill, \$414,872.04 Otton Harkey, C. T. Jones, W. A. Martin, A. E. Moore, W. E. Barrow, 11,000.00 J. A. Collins, E. T. Neal; Misses Carrie Sanderson, Annette Moore, Mary

> A big 7-reel feature, "Alimony Saturday night at the Majestic.

Mrs. Leigh Burleson has returned from a visit to her children at Waco.

Mrs. C. F. Brown of near Alto is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens.

1,716,000,000 Pounds of Flour Saved

if each of our 22,000,000 families use this recipe instead of white bread.

One loaf saves 11,000,000 pounds; three loaves a week for a year means 1,716,000,000 pounds saved!

Enough to Feed the Entire Allied Army

Corn Bread with Rye Flour

I cup corn meal 1 cup rye flour 2 tablespoons sugar 1 teaspoon salt 1 cup milk

2 tablespoons sugar 1 egg 5 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder 2 tablespoons shortening

Barley flour or oat flour may be used instead of rye flour with equally good results. Sift dry ingredients into bowl; add milk, beaten egg and melted shortening. Stir well. Put into greased pan, allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes and bake in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

New Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER, 1011 Independence Boulevard, Chicago

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

HONORING GUESTS

Miss Nobia Miller gave a "500" party at their beautiful home north of San Saba Saturday evening from 8 to 11 o'clock, honoring her house Eva Jackson of Lometa. Five tables were placed for the players amid attractive environmnets. Decorations of pot plants and cut flowers added to the already lovely home.

Score cards bearing the names of hostess and guests tied with pink ribbon were passed and a number of games of "500" were indulged in. On each table were placed crystal nappies Furniture and fixtures. filled with Jordan Almonds.

high among the ladies and a lovely box of stationery was awarded her.

with corsage bouquets of pink sweet! peas and ferns. A lovely two course luncheon was

quet of sweet peas. Those enjoying this charming hospitality were Mesdames S. L. Kirk, Otto Harkey; Misses Lucy Walker, Gertrude Hill, Carrie Sanderson,

Louise Urquhart, Grace Urquhart, Mabel Clare Urquhart and the honor guests; Messrs. Clarence Dofflemyer, Otto Harkey, S. L. Kirk, James Mc-Connell, George Clark, Lum Hayden Posie McConnell, Clarence Logan, of ginia, Irl Larimore.

Miss Miler was assisted by her sister Mrs. Miles Beck of Denton.

the Bend section are at a Temple hospital this week with their little son, who was operated on Wednesday for appendicitis.

SAMMIES, UNAIDED BY FRENCH, AGAIN SMASH HUN LINE

With the American Army in France Monday, March 11.-An American raiding party entered the German trenches along the Toul sector at 6 o'clock this morning after an artillery bombardment of forty-five minutes and brought back much material and information but captured no prisoners It was the first raid undertaken by the Americans without the aid of the

The raid was highly successful as the enemy withdrew many men from the front line when the bombardment indicated that a raid might follow. The raiders reported that American gunfire had created destruction in the German positions and had torn gaps in the enemy barbed wire entanglements. The German batteries came into action, but accomplished nothing. toward disturbing the progress of the

The Americans entered the enemy trenches behind one side of a "box" barrage which moved forward in front of them. They found numerous Germans hiding in the dugouts. In the hand to hand fighting which followed a number of the enemy were killed and wounded and left in the trenches.

Going far beyond their objective the raiders penetrated the German line three hundred yards. A few fights developed on the way, but the Germans were driven off. The Americans failed to find most of the Gernans who had been withdrawn hurthey searched for them.

In the hand to hand fighting the Americans used their automatic pis- A big 7-reel feature, "Alimony" tols and rifles. During the raid the Saturday night at the Majestic. American machine guns placed a barrage in the enemy back areas in order to prevent counter attack.

The Americans fought so fast and at Camp Bowie, are spending a few did their work so quickly that the days with home folks. They are well Tuesday to play the oil game just a medical men who accompanied them and enjoying life.

Charter No. 9781 Reserve District No. 11 Report of the condition of the

SAN SABA NATIONAL BANK

AT SAN SABA

guests, Misses Eleanor Skaggs and In the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 4, 1918. RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c) \$187,268.98 Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) (see Item 57a).... 4,138.20 183,130.78

U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2 per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)

Real estate owned other than banking house. Irl Larimore scoring high for the Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank. gentlemen was given a handsome Cash in vault and net amounts due from nat'l bks... Bill Fold. Miss Eleanor Skaggs was Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust com-

panies other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15 Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18..... The honor guests were presented Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items ... Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from

U. S. Treasurer .. served and on each plate was a bou- War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually

\$299,267.94 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in Surplus fund 25,000.00 Undivided profits Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid...... 1,934.24 4,579.55 Circulating notes outstanding 24,600.00 Net amounts due to National Banks..... 1,384.03 Oklahoma, Lloyd Gipson of West Vir- Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in Items 31 or 32

Total of items 32 and 33. Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Prof. and Mrs. W. B. McCutchen of Individual deposits subject to check ... Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) ..

Cashier's checks outstanding Dividends unpaid Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36 ,37 38, 39, 40, and 41..... Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30

days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items

42, 43 ,44, and 45..... \$299,267.94 Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d). 4,138.20

State of Texas, county of San Saba, ss: I, Rheube R. Low, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Rheube R. Low, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1918. W. A. Smith, Notary Public. Correct—Attest:

W. J. Moore J. W. Gibbons R. C. Sloan

Directors.

left the front line returned. encountered a German listening post McLaughlin has been with the Kelley Leonard, 160 acres, \$40.00. which fired at them. In less time than Cow Boy Boot company for several it takes to tell it, the Germans in the years. He is industrious, capable and post were silenced.

W. A. Ashley and son, Carlos, are here from Mason this week.

Little Miss Woodrow Wilson Oliver a handsome little girl. arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Oliver of the Harmony comversaries will be March 11.

riedly from the front line, although to Houston Saturday to see their son, was in town Wednesday and motored Brock, who is at Ellison field.

Richard Phillips, Mannus Yarborough and Ben McConal, all soldiers

had little to do. Every American who . Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaughlin left Tuesday for Clifton, Arizona, On their way back the Americans where they will make their home. Mr. worthy and the good wishes of San Saba people go with them.

> Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cates of near Red Bluff Sunday, March 10,

Mrs. Chas. Moloy and baby of munity Monday. Her birthday anni- Eden are guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Beveridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ashby will go I. F. Smith of the Bowser section home in a spank new Ford car.

> There is something pretty in readytion at Miss Nora Walker's.

W.B. Biggs and City Marshal Chad- the Christian church. wick motored over to Brownwood

OIL LEASES

W. T. Lewis and wife to R. Morris, 736 acres, \$153.25.

R. Morris to John F. Burke, F. & M. Sur. No. 636., \$1.00. G. E. Harwell to John F. Burke,

360 acres. \$1. W. B. Moss to R. Thomas, 320 acres,

W. B. Moss to R. Thomas, 390 acres

W. B. Moss to R. Thomas, 4325 acres, \$1. T. T. Munsell to Dr. W. M. Slusher,

982 acres, \$491.00 R. L. Oliver and wife to Dr. W. M. Slusher, 160 acres, \$80.

J. H. Lindsey and wife to W. C. Nelson, 320 acres, \$320. Geo. Bagley and wife to T. K. Sim-

mons, 248 acres, \$62. J. M. Allen and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 313 acres, \$1. Garrett Burk and wife to Robt. I.

Irons, 1590 acres, \$1. J. A. Bohannan to Robt. I. Irons. 159 acres, \$1.

D. T. Cowart and wife to Robt, I. Irons, 214 acres, \$1.

D. T. Cowart and wife to Robt. I Irons, 160 acres, \$1.

C. M. Cowart and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 747 acres, \$1. 1 Jim Chamberlain and wife to Robt.

Irons, 175 acres, \$1. S. M. Dobbs and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 163 acres, \$16.30. J. R. Deeds and wife to Robt. I.

Irons, 362 acres, \$1. W. P. Gober and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 337 acres, \$1.

Irons, 955 acres, \$1. J. J. Germany and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 316 acres, \$1.

84 acres, \$1. R. B. Hyde and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 960 acres, \$1.

Joe Hamrick and wife to Robt. I Irons, 640 acres, \$1. M. E. Matlock and wife to Robt. 1 Irons, 160 acres, \$1.

1,200.00

2,700.00

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976.60

acres, \$1. M. E. Matlock to Robt. I. Irons, 160 7,091.03 acres, \$1. J. D. Miller et al to Robt. I. Irons,

M. E. Matlock to Robt. I. Irons, 160

320 acres, \$1. R. B. McCarty and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 1242 acres, \$1 J. B. McLean to Robt. I. Irons, 480

cres. \$40.00. M. L. Rice and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 225 acres, \$225.00.

C. W. Reynolds to Robt. I. Irons, 157 acres, \$15.70. L. C. Smith and wife to Robt. J Irons, 325 acres, \$1.

J. F. Shoemake and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 187 acres, \$1. Ed Scoggin to Robt. I. Irons, 320

J. L. Stoner and wife to Robt. I. Irons, 160 acres, \$1. T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B. Leonard, 140 acres, \$34.70.

T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B. Leonard, 160 acres, \$40.00. T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B. Leonard, 160 acres, \$40.00. T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B.

Leonard, 160 acres, \$40.00. Mrs. I. M. Harkey to Middle States Petroleum Co., 1420 acres, \$355.00. Will Wilton and wife to M. B

Leonard, 103 acres, \$25.75. W. H. Gibbons and wife to Raitman & Leonard, 1328 acres, \$166.00. B. M. Treadway and wife to Robt

I. Irons, 125 acres, \$1. Minnie L. Taylor to Robt, I. Irons, 160 acres, \$16.00. U. D. Wilson and wife to Robt. I

Irons, 214 acres, \$1. F. G. White to Robt. I. Irons, 160 acres, \$1.

B. M. Winkler and wife to Robt. I Irons, 166 acres, \$1.

U. D. Wilson and wife to Robt. I Irons, 323 acres, \$35.00. B. M. Winkler and wife to Robt. I

Irons, 200 acres, \$1. J. R. Polk and wife to Middle States Petroleum Co., 1440 acres, \$360.00 R. B. McCarty and wife to R. F

Renfro, 1246 acres, \$1,246.00. R. T. Harkey and wife to Liberty Petroelum Co., 100 acres, \$25.00. W. P. Gober and wife to R. W.

Morris, 748 acres, \$187.00. T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B.

T. A. Wilton and wife to M. B. Leonard, 228 acres, \$57.00.

M. B. Leonard to the Prairie Oil & Gas Co., assignment of the T. A. Wilton 160 acres lease.

Sheriff John Burnett and deputy Norman Weatherby of Goldthwaite were here Tuesday on business with the sheriff's department.

Petra writes to the News that Mrs. Sarah Skaggs, mother of Rufus Skaggs of Richland Springs, died March 8th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Pike Hanna, at Willard, New Mexico. Deceased was 77 years old and was one of the pioneers to settle on to-wear hats awaiting your inspec- Richland Creek, this county. She was a faithful, consecrated christian and spent from early life a member of

> "Alimony" a 7-reel feature at the Majestic Saturday night, 10 and 20c.

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RICHLAND SPRINGS

G. B. Muse and wife arrived Saturday from an extended stay in Hous-T. A. Germany and wife to Robt. I. ton, where he worked at the carpenters trade for some time.

J. R. McAtee and H. A. Graham shipped hogs and cattle to the Fort Mrs. C. M. Gilbreth to Robt. I. Irons Worth market Monday and will attend the Cattlemens Convention.

several days with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Holcomb, near Shiloh, returned to Master while he is ill. her home at Spur Monday.

Brady and Brownwood this week. Commissioner Pearce is in San Saba C. H. Bentley. attending to county business this

as the Dick Taylor residence. Mrs. Laura Yeager went to Ro-Mrs. Dunham.

M. L.Minter of Dallas, who is now county came over Sunday and was the guest of A. J. Wise and family. He was accompanied by Mr. Burk of Brady. Mr. Minter has a host of friends here, and will be remembered as one of the surveyors who was stationed here when the Santa Fe was under construction.

Sud Locklear is home from Fort Worth and Temple. At the latter place he spent several days with his brother-in-law, who is there in the hospital. Mrs. Locklear is expected home this week.

Saturday night about 11:30 Nelson H. Smith died at his home north of town. He has been in very poor health since his operation at Ft. Worth last October and his death came not as surprise to his family and many friends. Mr. Smith was a member of the Baptist church and his pastor, services. Then the Masons took charge of the body. The services were held at there Sunday afternoon by the side tended to the good wife and children, also his aged parents, who reside near

Messrs. Bernie Brown, Emmett ing are seven children and many rel-Lewis and Homer and Dow Coughran left Saturday for Fort Logan, Colo, which is near Danver. The boys vollery. Hiram Davenport also joined March 13. but didn't leave until Monday. He was accompanied as far as San Saba by My Ready-to-wear hats are now his sister, Miss Yrma. and Miss Jen- on sale .- Miss Nora Walker. nie Berry. Miss Yrma remained in San Saba for a few days' visit with her friend, Miss Marjorie Kelley.

day and returned to her school Sun- and other relatives. lay afternoon.

Jno. Kavanaugh was a business visitor in San Saba Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Branscum of Brady came over Sunday to see her the winter in Galverton.

brother, Hiram Davenport, also Mrs. Joe Miller and baby spent several days here from the Sloan ranch with

Mrs. Fred Bradfield and baby returned to their home in Sweetwater Monday. She has been here about six weeks with her father, N. H. Smith. Mrs. Alvia Crane of Bowser came over Monday and spent the night with her father, J. J. Carter, who has been confined to his bed for several Mrs. F. W. West, after spending days with LaGrippe and fever. His son, Arthur Carter, is acting as Post

Mrs. Harry Hopkins and children C. Moore is a business visitor in were here from San Saba Saturday and Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs.

T. C. Henry and son Hugh came over Friday afternoon from San Saba Massey Taylor and family, who and were accompanied home by the former's daughter, Mrs. Guy Bourpast year, are moving here this week, land. Mr. Bourland went over Saturand will be domiciled in what is known day night and they all returned here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Auval Brown, teacher of the chelle Saturday to visit her sister, Bowser school spent the week end at Bethel with home folks.

Miss Etoil Brown, after a two at Brady doing surveying for the weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Bessie Brown Taylor, at Cherokee, came home Saturday.

Messrs. O. J. Wise, Sud Locklear and Frank O'Keefe were business visitors in San Saba Tuesday morning. A. J. Wise is confined to his room

this week with LaGrippe. W. A. Bodine is home from a visit

with his son at Eldorado. Misses Armour and Hattie Mrown and Miss Charlotte Bentley motored to San Saba Tuesday afternoon and were the guests of Mrs. Harry Hop-

MRS. NAT YARBOROUGH Monday night the death angel came to claim Mrs. Nat Yarborough six miles north of town. She had been at thepoint of death for several days and had been sick a long time, Bro. Tippen, conducted the funeral and the end was not wholy unexpected Hers was a life of devotion to her family. She was a native of the county the Locker church and he was buried and a sweet, christian life. The body was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemeof his first wife who died several tery at San Saba beside her husband, years ago. Deepest sympathy is ex- who died some three years ago. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Z. V. Liles assisted by Rev. G. W. Locker and are well known in this Light in the presence of a large crowd of sorrowing friends. Survivatives and friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. unteered and joined the Coast Artil- R. C. Bowen of San Saba Wednesday,

Miss Irvine Lidstone of Bellingham, Washington, is the guest of her Miss Nolia Wise came home Fri- grandmother, Mrs. Helen Lidstone,

> Mrs. Helen Lidstone and daughters, Mrs. S. J. Drouilhet and Miss Leslie Lidstone, are at home after spending

Boots and Oxfords, Tennis Shoes and Oxfords, Shirt Waists and Skirts, Men's Suits and Pants, all kinds underwear, Men's Shirts and Hats. Beautiful display of Crepes, Silks and Georgette, Hosiery-No better made. I thank you.

T. C. HENRY

Victor Berger Et Al Indicted at Chicago

FORMER SOCIALIST CONGRESS-MAN AND ASSOCIATES FACE FEDERAL CHARGES

Chicago, Ill., March 9 .- Victor L. secretary of the Socialist party; Irwin St. John Tucker, a Chicago Socialist; J. Louis Engdahl and William with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Sander-F. Kruse were indicted by the Federal grand jury today charged with obstructing recruiting, encouraging disloyalty and interfering with prose- last days and hours were brightened cution of the war.

The indictments, returned Feb. 2, life-long friends. but withheld by District Attorney Clyne, charge twenty-six overt acts. It is charged those indicted conspired to violate the espionage act by speeches and articles printed in certain publications.

Engdahl is former editor of the American Socialist of Chicago and Kruse is editor of the Young People's Socialist magazine, also published here.

Mr. Berger who is candidate for nomination of United States Senator from Wisconsin on the Socialist ticket, in announcing his platform this week, said if elected he would work for passage of a resolution by Congress directing the President to summon warring countries to an immediate armistice and peace conference. His platform also calls for withdrawal of American troops from Europe to procure absolute "security for this country." The Wisconsin senatorial electio nwill be held April 2.

Seymour Stedman, counsel for the National Socialist party, issued a statement tonight in which he expressed the view that "war profiteers and monster capitalists are most interested in this passage."

The Rev. St. John Tucker is head of a so-called hobo college in Chicago. He has been prominently identified with Socialists here.

Mr. Clyne stated that those indicted conspired to violate the espionage act "through public speeches, articles American Socialist, and through cer- Edwards reports a pamphlet, 'The Price We Pay,' a at the ranch recently. pamphlet, 'Why You Should Fight,' and by means of cartoons, illustrations, pictures, etc., to do the follow- visiting his son, E. T. Stobaugh, the

"1. When the United States is at war willfully to cause insubordination, disloyalty and the refusal of duty in military and naval forces to the injury of the service.

"2. Willfully to obstruct the recruiting and enlistment service to the injury of the service and of the United States.

"The indictment sets forth that the speeches, etc., were such as persistently dwelt upon the evils and horrors of war without mentioning any consideration in favor thereof and upon desirability and necessity of avoiding and stopping said war and opposing further prosecution thereof at all costs and regardless of the patriotism of said persons constituting the military and naval forces of the United States."

Guy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith of the China community, is at home for a few days from Camp Bowie. This is the first time he has been at home since enlisting in the army.

Don Allison is spending a few days with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Allison, at the farm. He is in the quartermaster's department at Fort Sam Houston.

Mrs. Virginia Hull Bailey died at her home in San Saba last Friday morning at 9:15 o'clock, after a long and lingering illness. The body was buried in the Odd Fellows' cemetery Saturday in the presence of a large circle of sorrowing friends. Deceased Berger, former Congressman from had been a sufferer for a long time Wisconsin; Adlph Germer, national and last year submitted to an operation in the hope of getting relief. She then went ot Dallas and remained son, for several months. Mrs. Sanderson came with her to the old home some three weeks ago, and here her by the tender care of relatives and

> Funeral services were conducted in the Methodist church, where she had enjoyed the sweet communion of religious service for so many years. The ladies missionary society furnished the choir for the services and sang the songs which she loved so well to sing during her devotions in life. Rev Z. V. Liles paid tender and loving tribute to her sweet, christian character and her life of devotion in the service of her Moster. Hers was a life of complete service to her family and church, and each was a loving service. The pall bearers were T. Y. Elton, A. R. Hill, J. K. Rector, Sr., J. C. Campbell, Jno. Seiders and R. Thornton.

Deceased was born in Houston, Jan. 15. 1857. She was married to Blackstone W. Bailey of Corsicana, October 20, 1873, and they came to San Saba in 1890. The husband died in 1901. She leaves surviving one daughter and two sons. They are Mrs. Mary Sanderson of Dallas, A. P. Bailey of Dallas and Marshall Bailey, who is a soldier in the U.S. army and is now at Camp Logan, Little Rock, Ark. A. P. Bailey arrived from Dallas for the funeral services. The floral offering was a most beautiful one.

Truly a sainted mother and noble christian has gone to meet the Lord

F. F. Edwards and wife came in written in certain newspapers, among from the ranch and spent Saturday others the Milwaukee Leader and the to Monday with the children. Mr. They were well equipped and well tain pamphlets, among them one en- garden all going good, in fact has two titled, 'Proclamation and War Pro- gardens, and is doing his bit to help gram,' a pamphlet, 'Down With War,' win this war. A pretty good rain fell

> W. J. Stobaugh of Coleman was first of the week.



was an appropriate time to remind officers and men of the 90th Division that George Washington fought for the right of citizens of the United States to establish and maintain selffrom any foreign power. It was also an appropriate time to remind them that the present war is being waged to protect such right from interference by the Imperial German Government and its allies and to insure the peace of the world.

> Citizens of San Antonio, and thouthe United States, had their first real | Lee Cook. opportunity to "size up" the soldiers of the "90th Division", when more than 20,000 Camp Travis men marched through the residence and business morning, February 22, 1918, in a parangy young men of Texas and Oklaformation, the thousands of spectators couldn't help but feel justly proud of these men and a little sorry for the men of the Kaiser who may oppose them on the battle line.

(By Publicity Bureau)

The sight of the smoothly marching soldiers made it difficult to realize that only four months ago they were called from the farm, shop, store, trade or profession, without any knowledge of military training. It seemed to be the unanimus sentiment that Texas and Oklahoma have reason to be proud of the men selected to represent them in the National army.

The line of march from Camp Travis, through various residence streets and to the heart of the city and back to camp-nine and a half miles in length- was crowded on either side by spectators. They cheerand receive the reward for a well ed the clean-cut appearing soldiers and the flag as it passed.

> Every man in the line of march, whose duty as a soldier requires that he be armed with a rifle, had one. his clothed. The military precision with which they passed through the first public parade is believed to be testimony to the claim that the National Army will write history in this war, for it is made of picked men, and it is a testimony to the hard work which has been under way at Camp Travis during the past few months work which has taken the man from the plow, the factory and the office, and made him a soldier, fit to go into

> > Members of this division may well emember with pride those who defended the Alamo, those who won the independence of Texas, those who fought during the Civil War for the stars and stripes or the stars and bars. Some officers and men of the division fought during the Spanish-American War, and all remember hose who lost their lives in the cause.

> > Officers and men of the "Alamo Division" are urged to remember affectionately the large number of soldiers of other countries who have died German Government and its allies, as heir cause has become our cause, ino-far as the peace of the United States is involved.

> > Those who believe in a future life are urged to pray for those who are daily dying for the cause for which this, the Alamo Division, is serving,

In order that officers and men of this Division may be daily reminded of their duty to remember the heroes one before, all duty, progress of venicles and soldiers through Camp Travis, and all conversation will cease for twenty seconds daily. A siren whistle sounds for that period just prior to 12 o'clock noon, ceasing reflection and affectionate remembrance of the dead.

Corporals Charles T. Grumbles and Privates Fred O. Gamblin, Edward Guess, Vester H. Ruffner, John M. Smith, Elmer M. Taff, Wilbur M. Ware and John W. Watkins, all of San Saba, marched in the above described parade with their organization, Battery "A", 345th Field Ar-

Private Thos. E. Duke of Headquarters Company 345th Field Artillery has been rewarded by his diligent efforts in his military work by having bestowed upon him the rank of "Corporal". This shows that the good in a man "will come out" as the saying goes and we are glad to note that the boys have taken hold of the army work with a vim that wins for them

the promotions so coveted by all. Private Osborne Mullins of Company B. 315 Ammunition Train, Camp Travis, has been a patient in the Camp Travis Base Hospital for the past several weeks with an at- Order of Odd Fellows, meets every tack of articular rheumatism. He is Thursday evening at Odd Fellows now back with his company, how- Hall. Visiting brethren cordially inever, and all the boys are glad to see vited to attend. him recovering, for Mullins is a jolly good fellow to have around. He hails from San Saba county, where they grow the biggets pecans, and, accord-

MRS. VIRGINIA HULL BAILEY CAMP TRAVIS ITEMS ing to his opinion, the prettiest girls in all the world.

Mr. E. E. Hoyt of San Saba spent Sunday with his son, Sergeant Wil-The anniversary of the birth of the burn G. Hoyt of Ambulance Company first president of the United States 360 and while here enjoyed "chow" with the mule skinners.

The News regrets to learn of the illness of its long time friend, Postmaster J. J. Carter of Richland government, free from interference Springs. Mr. Carter was 66 years of age Feby. 22. He has been a citizen l of the county since the early seventies and has been postmaster at Richland Springs since in the early eighties. We are hoping for his speedy and complete recovery.

Mrs. T. B. Hart went to Fort Worth sands of visitors from all parts of Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kolb have received a letter from their son, Homer, who was on the Tuscania, the transstreets of San Antonio last Friday port which was sunk by a German submarine on February 5th off the rade observance of Washington's coast of Scotland. Homer did not birthday. And after seeing the big, write very much except that he was safe and enjoying good health. He homa swing by in perfect military did not give much of his tragic experience.

> J. C. and A. K. McCarley and their families of Williamson county are here visiting friends and relatives. They are also looking after their farm in the postoaks. The oil boom brought them up to see just what is doing. They report a good rain recently in old Williamson county and that they have a good planting season.

Rupert Dees received report Sunday from his examination for appointment to the Naval School at Annapolis. He was one of the lucky three from the long list of those who took the competitive examination at Austin last month. This is quite complimentary to Rupert. He is now a student in the graduating class of the San Saba high school and is worthy and ambitious young man.

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San Saba. Also buy brass, copper

and old rags. See me before you sell.

at the Wagon on the Brite Corner.

Clothes called for and delivered

OBSERVE MEATLESS DAY

One Wheatless and One

Meatless Meal Every Day

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE

ARE GIVING TOASTED

CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the

wonderful advances that have been made

in the preparation of smoking tobaccos

in the last few years it may sound strange

Strictly speaking, we should say ciga

enormous quantities through the various

tobacco funds conducted by the news-

rettes made of toasted tobacco; the smok-

to speak of toasted cigarettes,

STRIKE"-the toasted cigarette.

the cigarettes keep better.

thing asked for.

SHINE

IN EVERY

Black Silk

Stove Polish

ask for Black Silk. If it isn't the best stove polish you ever used—your dealer will refund your money.

Black Silk Stove Polish Works, Sterling, Illinois.
Use Black Silk Air Drying fron Enamel on grates, registers, stove-pipes, and automobile tire rims. Prevents rusting. Try it.
Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silverware, nickel tinware or brass. It works quickly, easily and leaves a brilliant surface. It has no equal for use on antomobiles.

DROP"

Increase egg production by feeding

The Corner Drug Store.

A. C. Sharrock,

rice.—Geo. W. Brown.

guarantee. Buy it at

free. Kelley, the tailor.

I have a fifty-acre farm about

ng. He apreciates your business.

The Corner Drug Store.

Yours for Insurance Vot Iss.

R. L. Seiders, Agent.

Something here may interest you. These little advertisements are classified for your convenience. Watch it close each week

Use "Jaffee" instead of Coffee .-W. R. Harris.

I have on hand a few bushels of Will Ashby. Machine Culled Mebane Cotton Seed. -J. L. F. Fentress.

When you see Bob think of Fire Insurance. When you think of Fire Insurance see Bob or he'll C U.

sell you a wagon or any implement that holds good. we have on hand at cost .- G. A. Arhelger.

MONEY TO LOAN

Ranches in San Saba County in any ous treatment is my motto.-Will hot water. Everything else soured amount above \$2,000.00, at 7, 7 1-2, Ashby. or 8 per cent. The rate depending on the size of the loan .- E. E. Fagg.

Goats For Sale

100 head best grade Angoras, Oregan Buck, cost \$100, 99 nearly all nannies. \$630 buys the bunch. M. A. Taylor, Cherokee.

Will Ashby appreciates his friends and guarantees perfect satisfaction free-The Kelley Tailor Shop. when you buy groceries from him.

FOR SALE- A small quantity of Extra Selected-recleaned-Pure Sudan Grass Seeds. J. L. F. Fentress.

2 cans Hominy, 25c, (Flour substitute) .- W. R. Harris.

MONEY TO LOAN

Ranches in San Saba County in any amount above \$2,000.00, at 7, 7 1-2, or 8 per cent. The rate depending on the size of the loan .-- E. E. Fagg.

Pear burners, pear burner jets and all kinds of extras .- W. H. Joekel.

BATTERY SERVICE

Battery Repairing .- G. A. Arhelger.

FOR SALE-16-H. P. Oil Burning | cine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Engine. A bargain if sold at once .-J. L. F. Fentress.

MODEL BAKERY

Fresh bread, pies and cakes every ay. Special orders given prompt atention. North of Clark Building.— Catalri Medicine Indicate I day. Special orders given prompt attention. North of Clark Building .-N. L. Schnabel Prop.

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WANTED-2 1-2 or 3 inch second hand centrifical pumps .- G. A. Arhelger.



SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS

TRIED EVERYWHERE WORTH

Irrigation Machinery.

Before buying your irrigation machinery, we would like to figure with you. We can equip you with the prices .- W. T. Crofford. right kind of machinery, which you can depend on, we know the irrigation business, so don't experiment, but buy something you know will do the work .- G. A. Arhelger.

Don't ask us to violate the Food Administration rules. Let's all be patriots.-Will Ashby.

Pear burners, pear burner jets and all kinds of extras.-W. H. Joekel.

Mahdeen Hair Tonic

no other hair dressing just like it- home grown and are sound. Prepared especially for ladies at

Drew's Barber Shop.

Kelley appreciates your cleaning and pressing patronage. Satisfaction quaranteed and your work delivered. room house, water works, barns, etc.

FOR SALE-Sudan gress seed for planting, at 35 cents a pound. They are clear of Johnson Grass seed .-Joseph Eiler, San Saba, route 4.

FOR RENT-Modern furnished 3room apartment in private home, to couple without children. Martin phone

We will help you select your wheat substitutes to the best advantage, and Please don't forget the Place and will thank you for the opportunity .-

Just Received.

Another large shipment of automobile casings. When in need of auto tires, come and see us before buying, as we can save you money in the long run. It isn't economy to buy cheap Implements and Wagons. We will tires. We give a 5000 mile guarantee Son.

G. A. Arhelger.

I have increased my help and now have sufficient force to wait on all I can make loans on Farms and my friends. Quick service and courte-

> Mothers Oats, with a piece of thorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Aluminum in each package (Flour substitute) .- W. R. Harris.

FOR SALE-Seed peanuts, at \$2.00 per bushel, at my place 6 miles northeast of Richland Springs .- G. W. Lord, Richland Springs, route 1.

All work called for and delivered

STAR HOTEL

If you want a good meal and good room, at reasonable prices, stop at the Star. All rooms newly furnished. I want your patronage. One Harris. block north of Corner Drug Store .-Mrs. Lola Hooten, Proprietress.

Sal is on the job again at Will I can make loans on Farms and Ashby's and invites all his friends to this store for Grocery service.

> "Jaffee" a drink without injurious effects.- W.R. Harris.

There is more Catarrh in this section the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced We are prepared to do your Auto it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constituremedy, is taken internally and acts of the System. One Hundred Dollars re ward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for

Our stock of Auto Accessories is quite complete. And our Racine and I can make loans on Farms and Ajax tires are giving real service. Every tire not satisfactory will be cheerfully adjusted. Trade with the you.-G. A. Arhelger.

> Full head rice 10 lbs. for \$1.00. Flour substitute).-W. R. Harris. Bulk Peanut Butter .- W. R. Harris

Cleaning and pressing done exactly right-Kelley's Tailor Shop.

EGGS-For setting from my famous Gold Nugget strain of Black Leghorns. Price: 15 eggs, \$2.00, 100 eggs for \$10.00.—The Uneeda Poultry Farm, Miller G. Estep, Prop., San Saba, Texas.

We are happiest when making the greatest effort to please our customers.-Will Ashby.

BUCKHORN BARBER SHOP Walter Ford is now with this shop.

We are fully equipped with everything that makes a first-class barber shop. I am now in charge and will appreciate the business of all friends. Carl Guyton, Prop.

WANTED-Bleached bones in any quantity. Rush them in and get cash

Chevrolet Advanced \$50.00

The Chevrolet Automobile will adrance \$50.00 March 1st. You can save this on all cars delivered before that time; better place your order at once if you are going to buy.

G. A. ARHELGER.

2 cans kraut, 25c .- W. R. Harris.

PLANTING SEED-We now have a limited supply of planting seed for the farmers. Cane seed, Maize, Feter-Absolutely guaranteed-There is ita and Sudan Grass. These seed are

The Farmers' Union Warehouse Co., J. M. Gunter, Mngr.

FOR SALE-My home one mile PEOPLE SHOULD REALIZE MORE northeast of San Saba, 10 acres, five FULLY THEIR OPPORTUNITY IN POULTRY BUSINESS One of the prettiest locations in coun-

try-high ground overlooking valley. I do not believe that people gener-Cheap, see T. B. Hart or write me at ally realize the opportunity before them in raising poultry, as the high price of poultry and eggs will offset the high cost of poultry feed.

The United States Government wants you to raise more poultry and produce more eggs than ever before. The United States Department of Agriculture is urging poultry men and everyone who can to get offsome early hatches. The early hatched birds are easier raised. You avoid many of the deadly parasites and enemies of poul-I now have on hand a fresh supply try, and your birds mature early enough to make good fall and winter of all kinds of field seed. The supply s limited and the first to come will

> I have been doing my "bit," but now under the prevailing circumstances I intend to do a "bit more," and raise an additional number of birds. How about you? If not, why? Think it over and decide that you will.

I am urging you to do your best this season, for I believe it will pay. Eggs and poultry have been selling for more than they were ever before known to sell, and feed has gradually been declining in price in most sections. The scraps from your table will suffice for half the feed for a few Adler-i-ka empties BOTH large and hens, and the eggs you will obtain, at small intestines it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or investment. gas. It has QUICKEST action of

anything we ever sold. For sale by I will assume that you have just purchased your birds. Now house them properly; select a house of some description where they will be free from draughts-where they will be reasonably warm and yet obtain Aunt Jemima Pancake flour .- W. R. plenty of good fresh air. Place some boards under the roosts to catch the droppings, and clean up at least once a week. Each time you clean the dropping boards have a can of kerosene handy and pour over the roosts and on the boards below. Once a month saturate the nesting material with the same kind of oil, then burn it and replace with fresh stock.

Feed your table scraps, for the morning meal. Keep wheat bran be-WANTED-Bring me your scrap fore them at all times in a box, and iron and get the top cash market into this bran place a small quantity of beef scrap, or if you cannot obtain the beef scrap, kill a rabit once a week, skin and hang about a foot from the ground so the birds can pick at when they desire.

The bran should be fed dry in a shallow box, and across the box tack sufficient strips to prevent the hens from getting in and soiling or scratching out the food. In the early afternoon give them some scratch feed in litter in order that they may scratch and exercise. See to it, that they go on roost with full crops. In the beginning each morning when you go out to feed, turn a little of the litter over with your foot and if any food remains you are overfeeding. Gradually diminish the amount until none appears.

Fowls in confinement need grit and oyster shells, therefore keep these before them at all time in small flat boxes, and occasionally sprinkle a little in the litter.

should have green food. Sprouted oats are best and a small patch about the size of your bed planted real thick and kept moist until the oats are well out of the ground will be found ers of this country will recognize it more of great advantage. Feed all they readily by its trade name, "LUCKY will eat.

Birds fed and housed as outlined The American Tobacco Company are above, if of any merit at all, will not producing millions of these toasted ciga- disappoint you. Of course they need rettes and these are being bought in a bath, and they generally pick out a sunny spot in which to dust, if you papers of the country and forwarded observe this, loosen up the dirt, and if through the Red Cross Society to the boys possible, add a little ashes, also a bit of kerosene.

Now anyone can play the role of a This new process of treating tobacco not only improves the flavor of the tobacco quitter, but it takes a substantial but it seals in this flavor and makes person to hold on. Select a good variety today and help win the war by The Red Cross nurse is always glad to raising more poultry. Some promihave a cigarette for the wounded soldier, nent writers have gone so far as to as, in most instances, that is the first predict that poultry and eggs will win the war.

Yours for more and better poultry. Miller G. Estep.

AND HIS DOG TIGE

The real, live Buster Brown and his Dog Tige are coming to town to make the acquaintance of all the boys and girls who enjoy their funny antics. Buster and Tige are well known national figures and every child wants to be sure and meet them and see now truly comical they are in every day life.

Buster and Tige will hold a reception at San Saba, Texas for E. T. Stobaugh on Monday March 25th. Mothers and fathers, boys and girls are all invited to come to the reception, meet Buster Brown and Tige and hear all of the clever original and witty sayings that have made them famous. Don't forget the day and date at E. T. Stobaugh's store.

BUY A LIBERTY BOND

We have a few ready to deliver to you right through the window. Come and let us show you and explain our plan.

DO YOUR DUTY

SAN SABA NATIONAL BANK

the present price, will prove a real WOMEN'S CLUBS WORK FOR state. SOLDIERS

> The greatest need of American solliers in France is something to supply them with a few hours of atmosohere such as they have been used to. A French lieutenant recently sent over to join the instruction mission at Camp Logan says that American solliers when off duty in France realize how far they are away from home and suffer in consequence. Every method of doing things, the style of clothing, mannerism of the people, habits of life are different, we think style of architecture, every detail of ife, almost, is so different that the men when off duty, their minds un-feel themselves in a strange, if even a occupied with military affairs, realize friendly, country." more keenly their utter isolation from the things they were born and reared ELECTION FOR SCHOOL TRUSwith and have grown used to.

> It is this need of a touch of home influence and environment which THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of prompted the National Federation of San Saba. Woman's club to raise a fund with To All Whom this may Concern: which to establish recreational can- Notice is hereby given that there teens in France for the enlisted men will be held an Election on Saturday, off duty.

spots of the republic have, in many trict shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m., cases, been leveled to dust by the guns and shall not be closed before 6 o'clock of the German vandals. There is lit- p. m. on said day, for the purpose of tle the American soldier can do and his electing one County School Trustee sightseeing trips are few-all of from each of said Commissioners Prewhich but eccentuates again the need cinct No. One and No. Four. home life.

The movement of the Texas Federation through its war work council, Don't forget to supply plenty of the chairman of which is Mrs. W. B. fresh, pure water also; the birds Sharp, to raise \$50,000.00, \$25,000.00 of which will go into the National Federation's fund for recrational can- Sunday morning at 11:00 and Sunday teens and \$25,000.00 of which will be afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Sunday devoted to recreational canteens in school will meet at 4 o'clock. We France and other war work in the urge the people of the Sloan com-Cantonment towns of Texas, is meet- munity to come and worship with us ing with a hearty response on the part in all of these services. of the 32,000 club women of this

The plan under which the funds are being raised in Texas is proving a popular one, that of each club belonging to the Texas Federation collecting from its members 25 cents monthly for a period of six months.

"No more valuable work could be done," said this French officer, "than the work undertaken by the club women of America. Your boys need something to ease the home sickness which comes to them there. My people, of course, do all they canbut we are another nationality, our differently, we live differently and it is but natural that Americans should

the 6th day of April, 1918, in the Ordinary American soldiers in various School Districts in Commispeace times taken to France would sioners Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, in go sightseeing-but the war has made San Saba county, at the respective t all so different. Nothing but the school houses therein, in compliance sadness, the desolation of war, pre- with an order of the County Judge of vails throughout France. The beauty said County, and the polls in said Dis-

for recreational houses where the Said election will be held by the of-American boys may for a few hours ficers appointed to hold the election get a taste of the former American for Common School District Trus-

W. V. Dean, County Judge.

San Saba County, Texas

PREACHING AT SLOAN

Preaching Saturday night at 7:30

B. D. D. Greer, Pastor.



Let Joy and merriment reign in the home.

Let the Monarchs of song and laughter entertain your family with their melody and fun. Give them ALL the world's best music with a

VICTROLA

THE CORNER DRUG STORE

I have taken charge of the old reliable Pierce-Fordyce Oil business and will deliver anywhere within 5 or 6 miles of town. Anything in Gas and Lubs.

DRAYAGE-GOOD Teams and wagons haul anything anywhere. I thank you for your patronage.

Swift & Company Publicity

At a recent hearing of the Federal Trade Commission there was introduced correspondence taken from the private files of Swift & Company, which showed that the Company had been considering for some time an educational advertising campaign.

The need for this publicity has been apparent to us for several years. The gross misrepresentation to which we have recently been subjected has convinced us that we should no longer delay in putting before the public the basic facts of our business, relying on the fair-mindedness of the American people.

The feeling against the American packer is based largely on the belief that the income and well-being of the producer and consumer are adversely affected by the packers' operations, resulting in unreasonably large profits.

Swift & Company's net profit is reasonable, and represents an insignificant factor in the cost of living.

For the fiscal year 1917 the total sales and net profit of Swift & Company were as follows:

Sales \$875,000,000. Profits \$34,650,000.

This is equivalent to a \$3,465. profit on a business of \$87,500.



If Swift & Company had made no profit at all, the cattle raiser would have received only one-eighth of a cent per pound more for his cattle, or the consumer would have saved only one-quarter of a cent per pound on dressed beef.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

FOR SALE-Thoroughbred Percheon Stallion, 5 years old, 16 1-2 hands change and other articles, in town or high, weighs 1700 pounds. If inter- between town and Double Ford. ested see J. R. Daniels at once.

FOR SALE-No. 12 De Laval Cream Separator, good as new.-N. B. Sims, Martin phone.

Majestic Saturday night, 10 and 20c. friends in Brady.

Finder please notify Miss Alice Feazle, Algerita.

New Millinery arriving daily .-Miss Nora Walker.

"Alimony" a 7-reel feature at the Miss Annette Moore is visiting super-quality tires.

LOST-Ladies purse, containing 80,000 Bales, of Long Staple Cotton

At an average price of 80 cents per pound, was built into Goodyear tires

The long Staple cotton is now \$1.20 per pound. Isn't it reasonable to expect an advance in the price of these-

Elton Noble

. * MORE GOODS * * BETTER QUALITY * * LESS PRICE

* MORE GOODS * * BETTER QUALITY * LESS PRICE *

BARGAIN STORE

THE CALL OF EASTER IS REACHING EVERY EAR

THE APPAREL SHOP FOR MEN WOMEN AND CHILDREN is splendidly prepared to meet your

EASTER wants. Our store is aglow with the most comprehensive showing of bright, new Spring merchandise embracing all the popular and most favored models. which effectively portray the last word in style creations in correct apparel. It is indeed a genuine pleasure to us to have you come and view this wonderful array of beautiful SUITS, SKIRTS, COATS, BLOUSES, MEN'S AND BOYS CLOTHING, HATS, SHIRTS, TIES AND SHOES for the Spring and Summer season. Whether you purchase or not you are just as welcome. Come and post yourself on the new styles. This store, with its policy offers more actual merchandise value in return for every dollar than any other store. In other words, quality without extravagance is predominant throughout the store.

THE FAMOUS BARGAIN STORE

DENTIST

DR. F. A. BASS

Special Attention given to Crown and Bridge Work and

Pyorrhea or Sore and Bleeding Gums

Examination and Advice Free Suite 12, Clark Bdg.

Both Phones

San Saba

SCHOOL WILL CLOSE IN APRIL

Prof. Hughes informs us that the Brady public schools will close in April this year, about six weeks earlier than usual, this being made passible by the inauguration of the teaching on Saturday plan, which Prof. Hughes believes has worked to the advantage of both pupil and teacher. There are 12 students in the graduating class this year, each one having a splendid chance to finish, and with high records. This is the largest graduating class to be put through in the school for years and speaks well for both the students and the faculty.—Brady Sentinel.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

The regular Sabbath services. The song services morning and evening are to be especially attrac-

Our Senior Epworth League has been organized with twenty-five members. Look for the interesting League programs each week. A cordial welcome awaits you at all our services. A War Time prayer meeting each Wednesday evening in March.

Z. V. Liles, Pastor.

I WOULD BE **GLAD TO SHOW** YOU YOUR DRY GOODS SHOES

WILL SHOW YOU THE NEWEST THINGS AND WILL GUARANTEE TO SAVE YOU MONEY

J. C. CAMPBELL

The Spot Cash Store

Children's Missionary Society Methodist Church, Sunday 3 p. m Subject-The "Little Worker." Leader-Nan Beaumont. Bible Lesson-67 Psalm, read re ponsively.

Song. Prayer.

The Young Christian Worker-Dylvia Lavine. The First Subscriber to the Little

Worker-Francis Dees. A Wide Awake Questioner-Bill

Recitation-Lois Gose. The First Letter Ever Written to the Little Worker .- Tomsie Henry. Your Flag and My Flag .- Anna

Grace Allison. March-Lillian Rich. Benediction.

BAPTIST CHURCH 10:00 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Preaching.

2:30 p. m. Sunbeams and Junior 7:00 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U.

8:00 p. m. Preaching.

Sunday morning 'subject: "Three Spiritual moulds, Thomas, Philip, Judas." Sunday night subject: "The Duplicate Vision."

"And He is the head of the body the church; who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead; that in all things He might have the preemi-

G. W. Light, Pastor.

"THE TIE THAT BURNS"

An amazing story of the divorce traffic, written by an old court reporter who knows every angle of the game from securing faked evidence by private "detectives" to signing 'em up for the dough.

Tells how the grafters had a "sucker safely hooked" and how a good woman upset their plans.

From the opening scene in which Mrs. Bernice Flint, discontented wife, tells her wealthy husband that she married him for his money, and-

"that's what I'm going to court for not to plead for a favor, but to demand my right-ALIMONY"-

to the sensational pistol battle in autos at the close, there isn't a moment's time to think of the high cost of living.

In "Alimony" the story centers about the loves of two women for one man. One, losing him, seeks the strangest revenge imaginable-a revenge unique in its fiendishness. Some revenge—but wait till you see.

"Alimony" is a picture the whole family can see with profit and remember with pleasure.

> MAJESTIC SATURDAY NIGHT

Charter No. 7700 Reserve District No. 11 Report of the condition of the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT SAN SABA

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on March 4, 1918. RESOURCES

Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c) Overdrafts, secured U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1-2 per cent and 4 per cent, Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged . Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of sub-Value of banking house Furniture and fixtures. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank Cash in vault and net amounts due from nat'l. bks.

Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, and 15 Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17) .. Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 ...

Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items. Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer and due from

War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually

Capital stock paid in

Surplus fund

Undivided profits

750.00 450.50

\$251,675.37

15,000.00

6,000.00

65.00

3 000 00

8,500.00

1,500.00

20,185.97

28,310.33

2,087.66

198.99

1,361.11

\$340,867.93

3,978.56

177,410.46

8,500.00

3,006.10

5,300.00

LIABILITIES

60,000.00 40,000.00 Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid ... 28,072.81 14,600.00

Circulating notes outstanding Net amounts due to National banks . Total of items 32 and 33... Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject

to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject to check. Certificates of deposits due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed).....

Cashier's checks outstanding Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 39, 40, and 41...

Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):

Certificates of deposit (other than for money bor-

Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 42, 43, 44, and 45.....

.\$340,867.93

State of Texas, county of San Saba, ss: I, U. M. Sanderson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. U. M. Sanderson, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1918. John Seiders, Notary Public.

Correct-Attest: F. F. Edwards W. S. Sanderson.

Directors.