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1 BANK ROBBER WOUNDED; 3 ESCAPE TO MOUNTAINS

One bank robber is in a sanitarium at Abilene with a bullet hole through his stomach, and will probably die, and a posse of several hundred men are scouring the mountains in the Southern part of Taylor county in an effort to capture three bandits who made their escape when the posse overtook them in a stalled car near Buffalo Gap at eleven o'clock Wednesday night.

The captured robber was wounded by a bullet from the gun in the hands of one of the three men. These men are C. Kornegay, C. R. Hightower and Guy McDonald, of Winters, members of the posse which was formed to hunt down the robbers when it was discovered that the Winters State Bank had been robbed early Wednesday morning.

The officers found a Hudson Super Six car broken down and abandoned at the foot of the mountains near Guion, early during the day Wednesday, following the bank robbery. They trailed the men who abandoned the car to the mountains and searched throughout the day for them.

The posse kept a close eye on the roads in that section of the country Wednesday night, and it was while driving down the road north of Buffalo Gap that Kornegay, Hightower, and McDonald came upon four men in the road trying to start a Ford car. They stopped and asked the men if they needed help. In reply to the officers aid, the robbers opened fire on the three men. The three men returned the fire, and one of the robbers fell mortally wounded. The other three scattered and made their get-away and at last reports were still at large.

The robbers had stolen the Ford car from a garage in Buffalo Gap and rolled it by hand to the road, and were attempting to start the car when the three members of the posse appeared on the scene.

\$3,100 in Liberty Bonds were recovered from the wounded robber, and it is presumed that the three who made their escape also carried their portion of the booty.

The wounded robber declined to talk, and his identity is not known and it is not known where he came from. This will probably be determined when the number on the abandoned Hudson car is traced to the county where it was issued. The officers are of the opinion that the car was stolen, perhaps in some neighboring county.

The men who captured the robber and chased the other three to the brush, had a close call, as the bandits had an advantage and opened fire first. A bullet passed through the belt of Mr. Kornegay and through his clothing, but did not break the skin. Hightower and McDonald were not hit.

Sheriff Perkins and Chief of Police Pileher of Ballinger, are with the posse, and quite a number from Abilene and Winters and farmers in the Buffalo Gap are in the chase. The Buffalo Gap country is brushy and it is easy for a man to hide, but with the clue and hot trail, the bandits will no doubt be captured. The people have been warned to guard their autos tonight, and all avenues of escape are being closely watched.

It is not known how much in Liberty Bonds the bandits got away with, but it is believed that they are professionals, robbing banks for bonds only, as they are more accessible in the vaults than the cash, and the bandits have no doubt been operating at other places.

Ford Designs New Automobile
Los Angeles, March 6.—Henry Ford left for his home in Detroit today after announcing that on his arrival there he would perfect plans for the manufacture by a new corporation of a cheaper automobile to sell for a lower price than any now extensively marketed. Mr. Ford said he had designed the car while "resting" at Alhambra, near here.

Mrs. Tom Grace, of Dallas arrived Thursday to be with her sister, Miss Maggie Underwood, who has been ill several days.

BLOCKING THE GAME; NOT THE ACREAGE

The local oil company boom fizzled out Thursday, when members of the committee appointed to block the acreage, gave up in disgust.

"Instead of blocking acreage, somebody is blocking the game," said a member of the committee, who had nothing at stake except to help do what he could to help the town.

There will be no oil drilling within the city limits, or any where near the city limits, until the people who control the acreage come to understanding, adjust matters and work together as common sense demands that they should do.

It is not for us to say who is at fault in the matter, but a few men control the situation which is retarding oil development in this county, and especially oil development in Ballinger.

As a result of this envious, damnable spirit which prevails among the people who are in a better position to help develop the oil industry here, nobody will be benefited and it is a case of bite your nose off to spite your face.

If there is oil here, there is a sufficient acreage to make every man, woman and child in the county independently rich, but we have about come to the conclusion that there is no oil in this county. It would be an unjust God to open His store house of worldly riches to a people who harbored within their hearts that spirit which seems to control in Ballinger at this time, and droughts and dust storms are no doubt coming as a just reward.

Oil men have been here "sized up" the situation, and returned to their homes disgusted. The condition which prevails here is becoming pretty well known throughout the oil world, and those who are expecting other drillers to come here will be disappointed. The game is blocked and nobody wants to play in a blocked game. This is not a knock—its facts.

FIGHTING LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Washington, March 6.—Republican senators have launched a campaign against the constitution of the proposed league of nations. The first speech of the campaign will be delivered tonight in New York by Senator Borah. The republicans behind the campaign announce that plans for a nation wide speaking tour has been arranged in which those opposing the league of nations will present their views.

REV. MORGAN ACCEPTS INVITATION TO SPEAK

The invitation extended to Rev. Morgan, former Baptist pastor of this city, by the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, was accepted by Rev. Morgan, according to a telegram received by C. A. Doose, in response to the message sent by Mr. Doose.

Rev. Morgan wired that he would arrive here on the noon train of March 14th, and be present at the business men's banquet. The program committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce, will arrange the other parts of the program.

NEW CHAMBER COMMERCE TO MEET AT FESTAL BOARD

The board of directors of the new Chamber of Commerce held their first meeting Wednesday afternoon, and unanimously decided to call the citizens together in a banquet.

Friday evening, March 14th, was fixed as the date for the banquet, and committees appointed to perfect arrangements, outline programs, etc., and the committees are at work.

The committee on arrangements for the banquet are: R. T. Williams, E. Shepperd and Estes Lynn.

Committee on program: R. G. Erwin, Carl Guin and A. W. Sledge.

Finance committee: E. D. Walker, J. A. Weeks and B. C. Kirk.

While definite plans have not been announced, the committees in charge have the matter in hand and will announce plans and program at earliest time possible. Tickets for the banquet will be put on sale at once and tickets for at least two hundred plates sold. The price will be \$1.00 or perhaps 75c the exact price to be announced as soon as the committee makes up the menu and arranges with

some hotel or organization to furnish the menu.

Before adjourning the committee sent a telegram to Rev. R. B. Morgan, formerly of this city, inviting him as the principal speaker for the occasion, and passed it up to the program committee to arrange the remainder of the program. Rev. Morgan now lives in Hall county.

At the meeting of the board Wednesday afternoon the appointment of permanent committees was deferred until after the banquet. The permanent committees will consist of publicity committee, finance committee, oil committee, membership committee, etc.

It has been several years since the business men came together in a meeting of this kind, and every one should co-operate to make this occasion a real get-together banquet. Ladies will be given places at the banquet table, and in buying tickets the business men should include their wives. Get your money ready, the men in charge of the sale of tickets will serve the first come, and only a limited number of plates.

REVOLUTION DYING OUT IN GERMANY

Copenhagen, March 6.—The Spartacian revolution is dying out today. The strikers were bluffed off by the government military demonstration. A majority of the socialist delegates from Weimar, report that German government has consented to representation of workmen's councils in drafting the new German constitution.

NOTHING NEW IN SINCLAIR WELL

(Brownwood Bulletin)

No new developments have come to light in the Sinclair Gaines well during the past twenty-four hours, although drilling is continuing slowly and something of importance may occur at any moment. The drillers are very cautious in their work making light strokes of the drill and cleaning out slush at frequent intervals in order to keep informed as to the character of formation being drilled. There is still a great deal of confidence in the theory that a second and much better oil producing sand will be found, and tests of the sandy lime now being drilled have shown that it is oil bearing.

There has been no change in the estimated production of the well. Large numbers of strangers have come here during the past two days and the jitney drivers have been busy carrying them to the scene of operations. Stimulated by the influx of new people and the excitement caused by the finding of oil in the Sinclair well, lease trading has been increasingly active and the purchase of several royalties interests in the neighboring places of the 3 important wells in the north end of the county is also reported.

One property owner who was in

COMPLETING PEACE TERMS FOR GERMANS

Paris, March 6.—Military and naval terms, preliminary to peace with Germany, are expected to be completed at today's session of the supreme war council.

Dispatches received here from London indicate that Britain will ask for reparation for all vessels sunk and for all marines killed by the Germans during the war.

SUTTON COUNTY HAS OIL SHOWING

There is oil in Sutton county on the ranch of H. Eastland of Sonora. This, in all probability is the reason why practically all the large tracts in that section have recently been leased for oil development purposes.

The oil on Mr. Eastland's place was discovered a number of years ago when three wells were drilled for water. The oil was struck in each hole at a depth of about 300 feet. Since then many individuals and oil concerns have made overtures to lease the property, but Mr. Eastland has held out for higher prices. Eventually he expects to lease the land and see several wells go down.

Mr. Eastland was a visitor to San Angelo Tuesday and a guest at the St. Angelus.—San Angelo Standard.

the city yesterday and whose land is situated within the triangle of the Bailey, Sinclair and Cline wells said that he had refused \$30,000 for half his royalty on 300 acres of land and intended to hold out for at least \$100,000. Whether he was suffering from too much grape juice or was imparting actual information has not been determined, but it is known that several royalties have been sold for handsome figures. Lease prices have risen somewhat since the coming in of the Sinclair, but the prices of leases have been very high in that vicinity for the past several months.

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FOR GOD'S SAKE HURRY UP! This call came to America during the war and you know how America responded.

The same call comes to us now from four million victims of that same war, men, women and children, the remnants of the nations of the Near-East who were our Allies.

These people fought on our side and are today literally starving to death, stretching their fleshless arms towards us crying "For God's Sake Hurrp Up. Ere We Perish."

These victims are paying the penalty for their allegiance to the Allies Cause—Our Cause—and yet after weeks of intensive work the part of the American Committee for Relief in the Near East even after the terrible plight of these stricken people (Christians and Jews) has been told and retold to American citizens, the response the help, the money for alleviating their awful suffering has not been secured.

If America as a whole fails to meet this responsibility and obligation then America has not done her full part in making this world fit place to live in. Any individual who, knowing the facts fails to respond to a cry from a starving child and its mother must stand forever convicted as lacking that indefinable thing which enables a man or a woman to look every other man and woman in the eye.

There is nothing sentimental in this appeal for our America to help these miserable people. It is our duty. It is a condition and not a theory that prevails.

The Southwestern States have been slow in raising their respective quotas, Let's get together and put this humanitarian work over the top just as we put war over the top.

Has Had Stomach Trouble for Seven Years

Theodore Sanford of Fenmore, Mich., has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial.

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DAILY HEALTH TALKS

Where Most Sickness Begins and Ends

BY FRANKLIN DUANE, M. D.

It can be said broadly that most human ills begin in the stomach and end in the stomach. Good digestion means good health, and poor digestion means bad health. The minute your stomach fails to properly dispose of the food you eat, troubles begin to crop out in various forms. Indigestion and dyspepsia are the commonest forms, but thin, impure blood, headaches, backaches, pimples, blotches, hives, belching, coated tongue, weakness, poor appetite, sleeplessness, coughs, colds and bronchitis are almost as common. There is but one way to have good health, and that is to put and keep your stomach in good order. This is easy to do if you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a wonderful tonic and blood purifier, and is so safe to take, for it is made of roots and herbs. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., stands behind this standard medicine, and it is good to know that so distinguished a physician is proud to have his name identified with it. When you take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, you are getting the benefit of the experience of a doctor whose reputation goes all around the earth. Still more, you get a temperance medicine that contains not a drop of alcohol or narcotic of any kind. Long ago Dr. Pierce combined certain valuable vegetable ingredients—without the use of alcohol—so that these remedies always have been strictly temperance medicines. If piles are torturing you, get and use Dr. Pierce's Anodyne Pile Ointment. The quick relief it gives is hard to believe until you try it. If constipated, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets should be taken while using Anodyne Pile Ointment. Few indeed are the cases which these splendid remedies will not relieve and usually overcome. They are so good that nearly every drug store has them for sale.

SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERY INCOME TAX PAYER

Washington, D. C. — "The rights of all persons now filing Income Tax returns are amply protected by provisions for abatements, refunds and appeals," says Commissioner Daniel C. Roper. "Every person can be sure of a square deal. No person is expected to pay more than his share of tax. His share is determined solely by the amount and nature of his net income for 1918, as defined in the law. "Abatement petitions are dealt with open-mindedly. Refunds will be made in every case where too much tax is erroneously collected. "The Income Tax is 'on the level' all the way through."

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***** INCOME TAX IS TRULY POPULAR. ***** "The payment of Income taxes takes on a new significance which should be understood by every citizen. The taxation system of this country is truly popular, of the people, by the people and for the people. Every citizen is liable to tax, and the amount of the tax is graduated according to the success and fortune attained by each individual in availing himself of the opportunities created and preserved by our free institutions. The method and degree of the tax is determined by no favored class, but by the representatives of the people. The proceeds of the tax should be regarded as a national investment."—Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue. *****

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SOLDIER BOY KICKS AGAINST Y.M.C.A.

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"If every kick and knock against the Y. M. C. A. service overseas could have been handled as an American captain I know treated one case in his company there would be more in the air of what the 'Y' did and less of what they failed to do," said John M. Currie of Melrose, Mass., who is just home from operating Red Triangle buses in the Canals and Ypres sectors. The censor one evening came across a letter from a boy to his folks back home, in which the "Y" was panned and served on toast with a garnish of all the Scotch blessings and reverse English the boy had on hand. Now the censor is a pretty tired man, and I should not have blamed him if he had let that letter go. But there was an extra strong touch of exaggeration in it that roused the censor's sense of justice. So he sent the letter to the captain of the boy's company and the captain called the boy in. This is the conversation that followed: "Did you write this letter?" "Yes, sir." "Read it over—is there anything there you'd like to change before it is sent?" "No, sir." Then there was a short pause, in which the captain studied the boy and the boy set his jaw stubbornly. Finally: "Where did you get this letter?" "The 'Y,' sir." "Who gave you the paper?" "The 'Y,' sir." "It's warm and cozy, and something like home there, isn't it?" "Yes, sir." "Where do you get your cigarettes, candy, etc.?" "The 'Y,' sir." "You're always sure of finding what you want there?" "Yes, sir." "You go to the movies and a real show occasionally?" "Yes, sir." "Who runs them?" "The 'Y,' sir." "Doesn't cost you a cent, does it?" "No, sir." There was another pause, and the boy's face was redder and his expression softer. Then: "If you don't mind, sir, I'd like to see that letter again." Without a word he took it from the officer's hand, tore it once across, and dropping it into the basket made his salute, turned on his heel and walked out.

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SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Miss Emmie Eagles who had been nursing in Winters for the past few weeks returned home Sunday.

Mrs. T. O. Brown went to Brownwood and Bangs Tuesday, to visit her daughter a few days.

Mrs. Mell Mullen is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stoveall who lives at Moline.

Mr. J. A. Hubbard, who had been spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Eubanks,

near Winters, came in Wednesday to visit his daughter Mrs. Ed Eubanks and family. Harry Midgley and W. E. Blair are in Ranger.

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CONSTIPATION

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Meadorville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before."

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HOW RICH AND POOR WILL PAY INCOME

Washington, March 6.—The time has come for John M. Goldbonds and John D. Smithkins both fictional characters but equally well known in the United States, again to pay their income taxes. John M. will forward to the Collector of Internal Revenue a check for \$703,030. His net income for

1918 was \$1,000,000. Smithkins will pass the Collector \$30. His net income was \$2,500. Both are eminently respectable married men.

This is an illustration of the income tax provisions of the new revenue bill. "The income tax is no longer a rich man's tax," is a truthful but not a new saying. Smithkins, however, after contributing his just quota to the Government will have left a considerably larger portion of his income than Goldbonds.

The levy touches the pocket book of every person of moderate means in the United States, but is so graduated that the Goldbonds and the Smithkins each pay according to their income. Last year there were filed up to June 30, 2,319,929 returns of income of less than \$3,000. The tax assessed on these incomes was \$22,395,262.40. The number of returns filed of incomes of more than \$3,000 was 665,623, the tax on which was \$592,613,241.12. Speaking for themselves, these

Why Colds are Dangerous

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs lowers the vitality and paces the way for the more serious diseases. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ diseases; as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germ of consumption, diptheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take.

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figures offer convincing proof of the equitable distribution of the tax burden.

The estimated revenue to be collected under the new revenue bill is \$6,000,000,000. Returns are required on or before March 15th, of every single person whose net income was \$1,000 or more and of every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or more. The tax is assessed on net income in excess of these amounts.

In making out his income tax return John M. Goldbonds will deduct first his personal exemption of \$2,000 allowed a married man. On the first \$4,000 of his remaining income of \$998,000 he will pay a normal tax of 6 per cent, or \$240. On his income in excess of his exemption and first \$4,000 of income he will pay a normal tax of 12 per cent, of \$119,280.

In addition he is required to pay a surtax beginning at 1 per cent on the amount of his income between \$5,000 and \$6,000 and increasing by steps of 1 per cent for each \$2,000 of his net income up to and including 48 per cent on net income in excess of \$98,000 and not over \$100,000. From this point the rates are as follows: 52 per cent on his net income in excess of \$100,000 and not over \$100,000; 56 per cent on net income in ex-

THE MOST DANGEROUS OF ALL DISEASES

No organ of the human body are so important to health and long life as the kidneys. When they slow up and commence to lag in their duties, look out! Danger is in sight.

Find out what the trouble is—without delay. Whenever you feel nervous, weak, dizzy, suffer from sleeplessness, or have pains in the back, wake up at once. Your kidneys need help. These are signs to warn you that your kidneys are not performing their functions properly. They are only half doing their work and are allowing impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which are causing you distress and will destroy you unless they are driven from your system.

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Mrs. A. L. DeVine of Los Angeles, Cal., says: "After I had suffered from a female trouble for years, not being able to do my house work, or get any relief from doctors, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman, and I want to tell the world the good this medicine does. This woman is perfectly justified, and should be commended for telling others how she regained her health."



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Leasing oil land and buying royalties, is a much safer business than putting money into oil well stocks, for the reason you know where it goes and why, but in investing in oil well stocks your money may suddenly disappear in a hole in the ground, and you may never know what became of it.

You have many chances to win in buying leases and royalties on one in buying oil stocks.

We offer you a chance to invest on the partial payment plan, our shares are \$100.00, payable \$20.00 down and \$10.00 per month until paid, we believe we will be able to pay you all of your money back, by the time you have

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels county, Greetings:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Runnels county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To all persons interested in the welfare of Wm. Frank Brown, Carrie Brown, Daniel Brown and Marshall Brown, Minors, W. H. Brown was by the County court of Runnels county, Texas, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1919, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the persons and estate of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in May A. D. 1919, the same being the 5th day of May A. D. 1919, at the court house thereof, in Ballinger, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointments if they so desire.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Ballinger, Texas this 5th, day of March A. D. 1919.

(Seal) W. C. McCarver, Clerk County court Runnels county, Texas. D 6&13

Pat Murphy, Carrol Bates and two other gentlemen from San Angelo, abandoned their car here Thursday and returned to their home at San Angelo on the train. They were enroute from Brownwood and Brady where they had been on business, and were caught here in the dust storm.

Kely Springfield casing and tubes at whole sale cost. Harwell Motor Co. d&wtf

SORE THROAT
or Tonsillitis, gargle with warm salt water then apply—

VICK'S VAPORUB
"YOUR BODYGUARD" - 30¢, 60¢, \$1.20

Oil Interests Need Publicity

"There is just as much on top of the ground in this county as there is in any county and in the best proven oil fields" said W. O. Shultz, of Millersview, when discussing the oil development drag here Tuesday. Mr. Shultz said that this county was not keeping pace with other counties in Central West Texas in oil development, and he attributed it to a lack of advertising.

"We need more publicity," said Mr. Shultz, "and I am glad the Ballinger people have started a move to organize and put on foot a move to attract more interest."

Mr. Shultz says that this country is not getting the publicity it is entitled to and it is because the people have not been on the job looking out after their own interest, while other counties have been landing drilling contracts and getting the benefits of the publicity.

The Shultz well is about ready to resume drilling, after fishing for some time, and great results are expected from the deeper test.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of cuts, burns, bruises and wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is promptly applied, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the Ideal Antiseptic and Healing Agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. For sale by Weeks Drug Store.

HERBINE cures constipation and reestablishes regular bowel movements. Sold by Weeks Drug Store.

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Tonight

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in

"Maggie Pepper"

A Warning

FOR PROMPT RELIEF FROM Grip, Sore Throat, Cold in Chest and all inflammation and Congestion. Cream of Mustard gives instant relief and comfort to the sufferer.

It is far superior to mustard plasters or any liniment on the market. It relieves congestion, inflammation and pain almost instantly. It takes the place of plasters or liniments for colds, pains and aches.

It has produced wonderful results with thousands afflicted with sore throat, tonsillitis, stiff neck, neuralgia, congestion, rheumatism, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, colds in the chest, bronchitis, croup, headache, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints and chilblains.

Every household should have a jar of Cream of Mustard in the medicine chest for emergency. Ask your druggist, 25c and 50c jars, hospital size, \$2.50.

The Cream of Mustard Co., South Norwalk, Conn.



"I'm So Hungry"

When they come running in to you from school or play, hungry as little bears, satisfy their healthy appetites with slices of bread, toast or crackers, spread thick with golden brown Pecan Valley Peanut Butter.

Pecan Valley Peanut Butter goes straight to the hungry spot. And besides, it's mighty good for the kiddies. A Pecan Valley Peanut Butter sandwich provides the same strength and energy that a glass of full cream milk does.

We have a fresh supply in 9 oz., 14 oz., 2 lb. 3 oz., 2 lb. 8 oz., and 5 lb. containers. It's free from bitterness, grit—pure and full of delicious flavor. Try it. Other groceries with good flavor.

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Take HERBINE for indigestion. It relieves the pain in a few minutes and forces the fermented matter which causes the misery into the bowels, where it is expelled. For sale by Weeks Drug Store.

Miss Nadine Currie has been assigned to duty in the Base Hospital at Camp Custer, Michigan. She spent some time in training in Mississippi. Her friends in Ballinger will be glad to note that she is making good in this work.

W. H. Rodgers returned from Goldthwaite, Thursday, and went

out to his home at Winters in the afternoon.

The Best Laxative

"My sedentary habits have necessitated the use of an occasional laxative. I have tried many but found nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets," writes George F. Daniels, Hardwick, Vt. Mr. Daniels is proprietor of the Hardwick Inn, one of the model hotels of New England.

D. L. Baker returned home Thursday at noon, from a business trip to different points.



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of personal experience comes too high in cost for the up-to-date successful man of today. Invariably the strongest advocates of the bank account is the man who has learned by experience and then it is often too late.

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