

AMERICAN ARMY IS ENTERING GERMANY

GERMANS CARRY OUT ARMISTICE REGULATIONS WITH FEW VIOLATIONS

With the American Army of Occupation, Nov. 19.—Well into Belgium and within a few hours' march of the German frontier on the south Major General Joseph T. Dickman's army gathered itself today for another jump into evacuated territory.

The line was unchanged. In accordance with plans, the march has been halted for a short time, while the heavier artillery, supply service and other elements can be brought up. However, General Dickman's headquarters were moved on to Longuyon tonight and corps and division commanders made some advances.

As the Germans withdrew, the concentration of the army of occupation is increased and not for a moment has vigilance been relaxed. All possible tactical advantage is carefully taken and the forces are so deployed that the peaceful march might easily be converted into a hostile operation.

The second day of the advance served to confirm the belief at the American headquarters, however, that there was no thought of treachery in the minds of the German general staff and that the terms of the armistice will be faithfully carried out.

There have been few isolated cases where surrendered materials have been damaged, but it is not thought such damage was wrought under orders from German commanders. The surrender of damaged airplanes at the airfield at Tellancourt is regarded as a case where individual volunteers determined to put their machines out of commission, rather than have them fall into the hands of enemy much as a cavalryman would shoot a favorite horse to save him from a like fate.

Immense stores left at Longuyon were little impaired and the machine shops there had not been damaged. The electrical machinery in the shops was fully wired and the tools were of the best.

The railway yards at Montemedy and other places along the line that served the Germans as one of their main arteries of communication during their last stand against the allied advance were filled with locomotives and cars ready for use, while great quantities of general stores not mentioned in the terms of their armistice had been abandoned to the allies.

At Virton was found a great salvage dump, where tons of clothing, gas masks and helmets had been thrown by the German troops.

A road near St. Leger over which the correspondent drove just behind the evacuated armies was so thickly covered with big iron German helmets that at times they interfered with the operation of his automobile.

However, it was not the litter of a battle field that one saw, or even that of a disorderly retreat under fire. It was merely the evidence of the passing of a tired, disheartened foe, who was going home.

The country generally presented a strong contrast to that fought over for so many years. The Americans camped today in towns, most of which bear no trace of warfare.

Here and there was one which showed evidences of the fighting at the time the French attempted to check the German march through Belgium. In most of the towns every house was intact. Among the exceptions are Longuyon and Montemedy, where a few torn buildings, tell of French and American air raids and aerial photographs of which scars have long been on file at American headquarters.

Clarendon Company Hit Hard
Official telegrams from the war department have been arriving the past few days announcing the deaths in the great battle of October 8th to 12th in the Clarendon company, Co. H., 142nd Inf., 36th Division, commanded by Capt. E. A. Simpson, of Clarendon. Six men have been announced as having been killed so far.

Sunday night a message was received telling of the death in action of First Sergeant Aubyn E. Clark of Clarendon, of Co. H., on Oct. 9th. Others who have been killed in the company are Bill H. Kirkpatrick and Adamson of Hedley, McDonnell and Alvey of Lelia Lake, Poe of Brice.

TWO SIXTEEN-INCH GUNS TURNED OVER TO AMERICANS

With the American Army North-east of Verdun, Sunday, Nov. 17.—Two sixteen-inch cannon which were turned over to the Americans at Spincourt on Saturday were guns used by the Germans to shell the Verdun region. Forty-two guns of various calibres were turned over.

The sixteen-inch guns were taken apart by the Germans into three sections, each section being drawn by a tractor.

The entrance of the Americans into Spincourt on Saturday was one of the most spectacular features of the American advance. Although the details of the American plans had been communicated by wireless to the Germans, the carrying out of the schedule was delayed. The Americans were expected at Spincourt at 10 o'clock, but did not arrive until 2 in the afternoon, because of roads which had been shattered by shellfire.

Upon reaching the outskirts of Spincourt they were met by a lone German Lieutenant who spoke English. He conducted the Americans to the village hotel, where billets had been provided.

After saying he was glad to see them and expressing his relief that his responsibility was past the German said: "I am damn glad the war is over."

Just before noon the German ordered the hotel to serve chocolate and began packing up his effects. He told the Americans that 3,500 machine guns awaited them in Longuyon. Two orderlies brought up his horse, and tucking the receipt into an inside pocket the enemy officer mounted, saying good-bye. Then he added:

"I hope my troubles are over for awhile. I hope to forget all about guns and war and battlefields forever."

He rode away, his orderlies following in a horse-drawn cart.

Will Continue Demonstration Work
Oldham, Randall and Potter counties have renewed their contract with Miss Leah Harris, Home Demonstrator, for another year.

Miss Harris' work has been highly satisfactory and the people will be glad to know that she has been retained for another year.

In her report, Miss Harris showed that she had traveled 12,155 miles in the accomplishment of her work. There are 72 members in the canning clubs under her direction and 21 members in the poultry clubs. She has personally supervised the canning of 1,566 quarts of vegetables, 746 quarts of fruit and has given 52 demonstrations.

C. C. FRENCH IN CITY TO AID HILLAM WITH PIG AND BEEF CLUBS

C. C. French, state pig club agent, was in the city yesterday helping L. W. Hillam, county agricultural agent, in creating interest among rural school children in raising pigs and baby beefs. Miss Leah Harris, home demonstration agent accompanied them. They have visited the Soney, Bushland, Wildorado, Kunzie and Brady districts and 50 to 75 per cent of the boys have agreed to raise either a pig or a baby beef during the coming year.

Mr French, Mr. Hillam and Miss Harris visited both the Normal and the high school explaining the agricultural work. They went from here to the Happy and Garrison schools and will probably visit the Jowell school house.

When they have completed the organization of the rural schools, they expect to give instruction in agricultural subjects. Practically all the teachers are heartily co-operating with Mr. Hillam and Miss Harris in the promotion of the club work and it is believed that an unusually successful year will be had.

The girls in the rural schools are anxious to do club work again. When the monthly visits are made to the schools, it is expected that Miss Harris will give the girls instruction in sewing, cooking and household economy.

Sam Layman and family are visiting at the home of his parents near the Normal.

PRESIDENT WILSON WILL ATTEND PEACE CONFERENCE

It has been definitely announced that President Wilson will leave in peace conference. He will probably leave immediately upon the reconvening of congress December 3, after a short recess.

CHRISTMAS LABELS WILL BE SUPPLIED TO FAMILIES WHO DID NOT RECEIVE ONE

Persons who have received no Christmas parcel label from abroad, should apply to the nearest Red Cross headquarters, and in the presence of an authorized representative of the Red Cross should make the following statement in writing: "The undersigned hereby makes application to forward to, (insert name of recipient), whose address is, (insert military units to which recipient belongs of American Expeditionary Forces, one Christmas Parcel. The undersigned hereby declares that he, or she, is the nearest living relative in the United States of the person for whom the Christmas parcel is intended. The undersigned furthermore declares that he, or she, has not received a label from abroad, and that should such label be subsequently received, it will not be used. The undersigned furthermore declares that to the best of his, or her, knowledge and belief only one Christmas Parcel will be sent from America to the proposed recipient, and that this parcel will be sent by the undersigned."

This application when duly executed and signed by the applicant and approved by a representative of the Red Cross, will entitle the applicant to one Christmas parcel label and one pastboard carton, both of which a representative of the Red Cross will give to the applicant in person; provided, however, that the applicant in the presence of the representative of the Red Cross so acting, shall address the Christmas parcel label in conformity with the address of the recipient of the box shown in the application.

The local Parcel Committee wishes to announce they will be at Red Cross rooms after November 20th, from 2:30 until 5 o'clock, to deliver and mail boxes, will make an exception of these hours to persons living in the country, if they will inquire at the County Clerk's office or phone 58.

J. R. Harter and family left Thursday for Uniontown, Indiana, their old home town, where they will make their future home. They have lived in Canyon a good many years and are well acquainted. Mr. Harter having been in the blacksmith business the most of the time. We regret to see them leave Canyon, but our good wishes go with them to their new home.

J. O. Quassebaum a real estate dealer of McLean passed through the city Tuesday on his way to Dimmitt.

S. B. McClure was in Memphis the first of the week on business.

Gingham dresses for women and children at the Supply & Co. at 25 per cent discount.

We have a tailor now. Phone us and have those clothes cleaned up. Phone 37. 1tc

RANDALL COUNTY WELL "OVER THE TOP" IN WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

C. R. Burrows, chairman of the United War Work Campaign committee for Randall county, stated to a News representative yesterday that the \$2,000 quota had been topped and that the amount on hand for the Normal and county together was around \$3,300.

Officials of the U. W. W. campaign headquarters announced that the latest national total for the drive for \$170,500,000 which closes at midnight tonight was \$158,656,058, or \$11,984,942 less than the sum sought. They added, however, that this report was incomplete and that final figures would not be available for at least two days.

1,580,000 GERMAN TROOPS REPORTED BEING KILLED

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 20.—Up to October 31, 1,580,000 German soldiers were killed and the fate of 260,000 was not known. Vorwaerts of Berlin says it learns on reliable authority.

Four million soldiers had been wounded, some several times. The newspaper adds that there were 490,000 German prisoners in hostile countries.

Card of Appreciation

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Adams of Wellington Texas wish to express their thanks for the treatment their boy has received at the S. A. T. C. during his sickness they say they can return home perfectly satisfied that he will receive the best of attention also Mrs. Overstreet of Farwell and Mrs. Penon from the southern part of Texas have been here to see their boy who has been very low with typhoid fever, but is better now, say they are perfectly satisfied and pleased with the treatment their boys have received and are well pleased with Canyon in general.

To Stock Show

C. O. Keiser will ship two carloads of fancy Hereford stock, consisting of thirty two-year-olds and one yearling, to Chicago Saturday, where they will be entered in the International Stock Show. Mr. Tom Davis will go with them and have charge of the exhibit.

The 1918 Amarillo Tax Roll

The tax roll for 1918 presented to the commissioners for their approval. Showed that the assessed valuation of the city was \$11,031,742, and that the estimated revenue would be \$111,364.45.

364.45.—Southwest Plainsman.
Mrs. Mollie Curtis and daughter of San Antonio are visiting relatives in Canyon.

STANDARD TIME ZONES ARE MOVED WESTWARD

Washington, Nov. 18.—New and official boundaries for time zones in the United States, unifying existing lines and moving them slightly westward, were announced today by the Interstate Commerce Commission, to become effective at 2 a. m. Jan. 1, next. This order is pursuant to the daylight saving act, which, in addition to authorizing an advance of the clock during the summer, provided for permanent United States standard time and required the commission to define the limits of the standard time zones, which previously had been fixed only by custom of cross-continent railroads or by local law.

The line fixed by the commission separating the Eastern and central time zones beginning at the Great Lakes, runs through Toledo and Columbus, Ohio; Huntington, W. Va.; Bristol, Va.-Tenn.; Asheville, N. C.; Atlanta and Thomasville, Ga.; the northern boundary of Florida to River Junction and the Apalachicola river to the Gulf of Mexico.

Between central and mountain time the line begins at the Canadian boundary at Portal, N. D.; running thru Minot, N. D.; and following the Missouri river to Pierre, S. D.; then through Long Pine, North Platte, McCook and Republican Junction, Neb.; Phillipsburg, Plainville, Ellis, Dodge City and Liberal, Kans.; Waynoka, Clinton and Sayre, Okla.; Sweetwater, Big Springs and San Angelo, Texas, and the 100th meridian to the Rio Grande.

Between mountain and Pacific time zones the line is fixed following the eastern boundary of the Blackfoot Indian reservation in Montana and the continental divide to Helena and Butte, Mont.; Pocatello, Idaho, and the Oregon Short Line to Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah; thence the Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad and the west and south boundaries of Utah to the 113th meridian; thence to Parker, Ariz., and along the Colorado river to the Mexican boundary.

All of Alaska is left within a single time zone.

Between the central and time zones, cities on the line will take mountain time except Portal, Flaxton and Minot, N. D.; Murdo and Mackenzie, S. D.; Phillipsburg, Stockton, Plainville, Ellis and Liberal, Kan.; Waynoka, Ralph and Sayre, Okla., and Sweetwater, Big Springs and San Angelo, Texas.

Lera Turner Dead

Lera, the 11 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Turner, died at 4:30 yesterday evening of typhoid fever. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3:30 at the First Baptist Church.

SERGEANT HARRY WARREN LED COMPANY AFTER OFFICERS HAD BEEN SHOT DOWN

It is a source of satisfaction to the people of Donley county that even a non-commissioned officer coming from our own town has the ability of performing the duties of a company commander, not only with credit, but with the result of taking all objectives set for the company and capturing over one hundred Germans, even after the company had lost all its commissioned officers by wounding, beside suffering heavy casualties in the ranks. This was accomplished by Sergt. Harry Warren in the terrific fighting which occurred on October 8th near Attigny, France, and in which he received a shattered arm which will keep him in the hospital some six weeks more.

Not only is The News proud of this achievement because it was done by a Donley county boy at the head of Donley county boys, but Sergt. Warren is one of the six former employees of The News, who are making history and a name for themselves.—Clarendon News.

Y. W. C. A. WOMEN ADDRESS NORMAL

S. A. T. C. ELEVEN WILL PLAY AT PLAINVIEW THANKSGIVING DAY

It was our pleasure to have with us today (Wednesday) Miss Abbie Graham of the Dallas Field office of the Y. W. C. A. and Madame Bernard who has come from France to speak under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. during the United War Work campaign. Madame Bernard spoke to the entire student body at the chapel period and to the young ladies of the institution at 2:30.

The faculty advisory committee of the Y. W. C. A. and the cabinet members entertained Miss Graham and Madame Bernard at a buffet luncheon at noon today.

The attendance of the Normal students at the various Sunday Schools last Sunday was as follows:

Methodist—girls 23, boys 6; Baptist—girls 24, boys 16; Presbyterian—girls 8, boys 6; Christian—girls 8, boys 0; Church of Christ—girls 11, boys 2; Catholic—girls 6, boys 0.

Mr. Henry Jones of Abernathy visited his niece, Goldia and Ross Jones, last week end.

Miss Ruby Lattimore spent the week-end with her sister who lives in Amarillo.

Galen Murphy's mother and brother from Ochiltree visited him Saturday.

Misses Lela Roricks and Lila Sims of Canadian visited in Canyon Sunday.

Neva Hicks spent Sunday and Monday in Amarillo at the home of Miss Virginia Hudson.

Mr. Mitchell's family has moved from White Deer to Canyon for the benefit of our school.

Among Monday's visitors to Amarillo were Mr. and Mrs. Allen and Mr. Guenther.

Miss Telen Mann spent Sunday and Monday at her home near Happy.

Mr. Lewis Stambaugh of Abernathy enrolled in school last Tuesday.

Mr. Lorenza D. Hart, who is stationed at Fort Sille, Oklahoma, visited Misses Louise Heiser and Mable Pipkin Sunday.

At a recent meeting of the Freshman class the following officers were elected: president, Arline Rose; vice president, Walter Phillips; secretary, Flanigan Smith; treasurer, Mildred Johnson; treasurer, sergeant-at-arms, C. T. Neice.

Jop Owens telegraphed his mother that he and the other boys who went to the officers training camp had received an honorable discharge and would soon be at home.

Word has come that Andrew Floyd a former student of ours has been killed in action.

S. A. T. C. Notes

The S. A. T. C. football team will play Clovis high here Saturday. Lieutenant Freeman, the C. O. of the S. A. T. C. unit of Plainview, visited our S. A. T. C. last Saturday and Sunday.

Our boys will go to Plainview Thanksgiving to play a game of football with the S. A. T. C. of Wayland College. We hope to have enough people to enable us to get a special train. Certainly the entire S. A. T. C. unit will go.

Mr. Hancock, the regional director of S. A. T. C. singing, sent out by the U. S. Government, spent last Thursday with our boys.

Ernest Weynand Pays

Mr. Jos. Friemel of the Umbarger community, received word from the war department the first of the week that her brother Ernest Weynand had died of disease in France. He was selected for service from Canyon several months ago and is well known in the Umbarger community. His home was in East Texas.

Payments on Liberty Bonds

The second payment on subscriptions for **FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN BONDS** will be due **November 21st**. Bonds of this issue which were paid for in full at the time subscriptions were placed, are now ready for delivery.

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ON THE FLOOR FOR ME TO
PICK UP. HE SAYS AN
UNSIGNED LETTER AINT ANY
BETTER THAN AN
UNSIGNED CHECK!**



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**Who's Who on Our Service Flag
(Jowell Community)**

The Jowell Sunday School
In honor of our boys
Purchased this flag with
Pride and with joy.
These eleven little stars in
A background so white
Are a gentle reminder
That our boys are right.

The first star stands
For Wade Baily
A volunteer now in
France somewhere
With his heavy artillery
He will fire quick and
Fast to save his comrades
From the terrible gas.

The second is for a boy
Jack Myres by name
He has gone to France.
But he careth not for
Fame. His duty is to
Inspect our large machine
Guns and see that there is
Plenty ammunition.
Provided for the Huns.

The third star is for Wallace Hess,
Of all the young
Men his mother thinks
He is the best.
He went into France
With a spirit that
Never will lag, I am
Sure you will
Remember him as you
Gaze on this flag

The fourth star represents
Jessie Hillman
He went into training
With the motto "I can"
Now he is in the depot
Brigade where he cares
For the sick and ones
In detention. The
Zeal that he works with
Is well worth our mention.

The fifth star is for
Athur Simpson a brother
Of Nath's, He has gone to
Meet the enemy face to face
When the order is given
Over the top he will land
And plant Old Glory in No-Mans
Land.

The sixth star is for
Frank Myres a brother of
Jacks. He has gone with the
Canadians who are detrimed
To come back.
No gases or shells no Germans
Does he fear
For he fights with a rifle bayonet and
Spear.

The seventh star is for
Joe Machen a sailor boy true,
Who who will be sailing
The Ocean so blue.
With a steady hand and
Fearless eye, he watches the
Waves to see if a submarine
Is nigh

The eight little star we
Shall call Jonsie Sims
He has joined the signal
Corps and he rides with a
vim. From morning till
Noon and from noon till night
He will stay with his wheel
And learn how to fight.

The tenth star is for
Clifford Asher The
Way he is being trained
We are proud to tell
In a few short weeks in
France He will be
To fight till the world
Is safe for Democracy.

Last but not least is the
Star for Lee Sims
Only a few weeks have rolled
Away since he went into
The depot Brigade to stay.
Till "Uncle Sam" sees fit
To place him in a position where
He can best do his bit.

Noble boys! We are proud of you—
Today. Yet, we realize the
Price we may have to pay.
Our hearts will ache and our
Souls will bleed. But our
Prayers are with in this hour
Of need. So go dear boys
With the millions of others
Who have left their fathers
Sisters and mothers
We are glad to know you
Have answered the call
And feel you will be honorable
What e'er befalls.

And to always during
Your absence these stars
For you will shine, until
You are discharged from duty,
Camp and firing line.
JOWELL COMMUNITY

War Savings Sales Near Billion
Including cash received in the
Treasury Department on October 21
from the sale of War Savings securities,
the total Treasury receipts from
this source amounted to \$801,453,-
415.86. This represents the purchase
of War Savings stamps to the total
maturity value of approximately
\$950,824,474.10.

Our Soldiers and Sailors

Letter From John Meyers

Somewhere in France
at the Front,
October 21, 1918.
Dearest Mother: Just slipped off
for a few minutes to write a few
lines and let you know that all is
still well with me. I'm enjoying the
best of health and hope you folks at
home are all well.
This is the first good chance I
have had to write a little since our
our last move. We are up at the
front now right in the thick of the
excitement, and at times it's consider-
able.

We had a good trip, came through
in our trucks so we got to see the
country pretty good. I've seen quite
a slice of France now, and it's quite
a country. Where we are now, is
ground that the Huns have held for
four years and as we've got them
on the run now and are following
right up, our next move will like-
ly land us in Germany. I hope so
any way.

I am enclosing a card that I will
have to send you if I want a little
Christmas from home but I'm in
doubt as to whether it will get there
by Nov. 20, as the other letters
all go so slowly. If not can keep
it as a souvenir from the front. There
are lots of things over here that
would make nicer souvenirs but get-
ting them across is the next thing.
I may run across something in that
line one of these days that I can
send.

Have not had any mail, in the week
or since I've been here. Some day
I know I'll get all those letters I've
missed so far and sure will have some
fun reading them all.

I suppose you will notice the date
on this letter. Well I certainly have
celebrated this birthday some. A
little different from my last birth-
day in Camp in the U. S. I'll soon
be in the army 14 months and in
that time I've never missed reveille
or failed once to report for duty.
I've surely been lucky in being so
healthy and well.

Well mother dear, I'm writing this
letter on a corner of a big Q. U. A. D.
truck with the aid of a candle and
just got orders to put it out on ac-
count of Fritz dropping a shell if
he'd see a light. It's the time of
evening that the bombardment be-
gins so I'll have to close.

Have not had a line from Frank
since I've been in France. I'd sure-
ly like to see him and it may be such
a thing that we will meet over here
somewhere.

Give my best regards to all in-
quiring friends. With Love and best
wishes to all the home folks.
Your son.

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The extension of a credit of \$9,-
000,000 to Belgium made recently
makes the total advances by the
United States to Belgium \$80,020,000.
The total amount advanced to date
to all of our associates in the war
against Germany is \$7,529,476,000.

Rehabilitation of Our Wounded

The United States Government is
resolved to do its best to restore every
wounded American soldier and sailor
to health, strength, and self-supporting
activity.

Until his discharge from the hospital
all the medical and surgical treatment
necessary to restore him to health is
under the jurisdiction of the military
or naval authorities, according to the
branch of the service he is in. The
vocational training the reeducation
and rehabilitation necessary to restore
him to self-supporting activity, is under
the jurisdiction of the Federal
Board for Vocational Education.

If he needs an artificial limb or me-
chanical appliance the Government
will supply it free will keep it in re-
pair, and renew it when necessary.
If after discharge he again needs
medical treatment on account of his
disability, the Government will supply
it free. While he is in the hospital
and while in training afterwards the
soldier or sailor will receive compensa-
tion as if in service and his family or
dependents will receive their allot-
ment.

A wounded soldier or sailor, al-
though his disability does not prevent
him from returning to employment
without training, can take a course of
vocational training free of cost and
the compensation provided by the war
risk insurance act will be paid to him
and the training will be free, but no
allotment will be paid to his family.

Every Liberty Bond holder who
holds his bond is keeping up a part of
this great work of restoring to health,
strength, and usefulness the men who
have suffered for their country.

Letter from Rosmer Ridley

On active service with the A. E. F.,
in France, Oct. 20, 1918.
Dear Sister: How are you all get-
ting along? Fine, I hope. I am
well and doing fine. I received your
letter yesterday and sure was glad
to hear from home, but sorry to hear
about Sherwood being hurt. I heard
from Hubert this morning. He was
out of the hospital and doing fine. I
don't know his address yet.

One of our sergeants came back to
the company this morning. He had
seen Hubert. So Hubert sent me
and the boys a word of cheer and
said tell us hello.

Sallie tells me Grover can hardly
stay at home knowing the rest of
us boys are on the fighting line. You
tell him, I said he had better take
an old soldier's advice and stay at
home as long as he can.

I have seen some awful sights over
here, and have had real experience in
war. You can read about this war
all you want to, but you can't realize
what it is 'till you are in it. We are
out now for a rest; don't know how
long before we will go back.

While we were advancing the other
day, we met several old women and
girls, and some old men that the Ger-
mans had let go, and I do believe
they were the happiest people I ever
saw in my life. They would run to
the French and American soldiers to
shake hands and cheer us as we
marched by. Believe me that will
make any old boy want to fight.

ROSSER.
Co. D., 133 M. G. Bri., A. P. O. 796,
A. E. F.

Moves Buffalo Herd

Bob McKenzie has moved his buf-
falo herd from Ft. Sumner to another
part of the state. The settlers on the
Yezo did not take kindly to bison on
the range. They killed four of the
valuable animals this season.—Roswell
(N. M.) Star.

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country of \$6,000,000,000, an amount
unprecedented in all the history of the
word. In three weeks' time, in spite
of an epidemic of influenza which pre-
vented public meetings and cost the
people many millions of dollars in
medical bills and lost time, and in
spite, too, of the peace rumors that is
some instances had a tendency to make
the success of the loan less vital, some
21,000,000 of the American peo-
ple offered to the Government \$6,866,-
416,300. Each Federal Reserve dis-
trict oversubscribed its quota. Thou-
sands of cities, towns, and communities
oversubscribed their quotas. Secretary
McAdoo says that the Fourth Liberty
Loan is the greatest single event in
financial history.

The Fourth Loan was called the
fighting loan; it is a record of Ameri-
canism comparable with the record
that our soldiers on the battle fronts
and our sailors on the seas are mak-
ing. The people at home have given
loyal support to our fighting men.

Our soldiers are holding every acre
of ground they take. Let the people
at home hold every Liberty Bond they
have taken.

A Liberty Bond is a certificate of
patriotism; keep it to show to our boys
when they come back from Europe.

Who said oil stock? Buy it in the
cleanest company you ever had a
chance to deal with, the Cedar Lake
Petroleum and Gas Co. of Lamesa,
Texas. See ad in another column.

Who said oil stock? Buy it in the
cleanest company you ever had a
chance to deal with, THE CEDAR
LAKE PETROLEUM AND GAS CO.
OF LAMESA, TEXAS. See ad in
another column.

Kidd Case Being Tried

The district court for Potter county
convened Monday morning with Judge
Henry S. Bishop presiding. The regu-
lar grand and petit juries were
sworn in. This week will be given to
the trial of criminal cases and the
first case ready for trial being the
case of the State of Texas vs. Clyde
Kidd, charged with the killing of
Price Stewart in February of this
year.

**EVER SALIVATED BY
CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!**

**Calomel is quicksilver and acts
like dynamite on
your liver.**

Calomel loses you a day! You
know what calomel is. It's mer-
cury; quicksilver. Calomel is dan-
gerous. It crashes into sour bile
like dynamite, cramping and sick-
ening you. Calomel attacks the
bones and should never be put into
your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish,
constipated and all knocked out and
believe you need a dose of dangerous
calomel just remember that your
druggist sells for a few cents a large
bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which
is entirely vegetable and pleasant to
take and is a perfect substitute for
calomel. It is guaranteed to start
your liver without stirring you up
inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you
sick the next day; it loses you a day's
work. Dodson's Liver Tone straight-
ens you right up and you feel great.
Give it to the children because it is
perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

**QUITTING BUSINESS
IN AMARILLO**

The influenza prevented us from having our sale. Now that con-
ditions are such that we can have our sale, we have made radical
reductions, have

**Cut the Prices Still
Deeper**

and the Big Close-Out Sale has now swung into full blast. Come
get your share of the bargains while this stock is being sold out.

**Remember, this Entire Stock
is to Be Sold Out**

JONES

Dry Goods Company

QUITTING BUSINESS IN AMARILLO

OPPORTUNITY CALLS Once on Every Man

It calls to you today from the Great Undeveloped Oil and Gas Fields of the South Plains.

The Cedar Lake

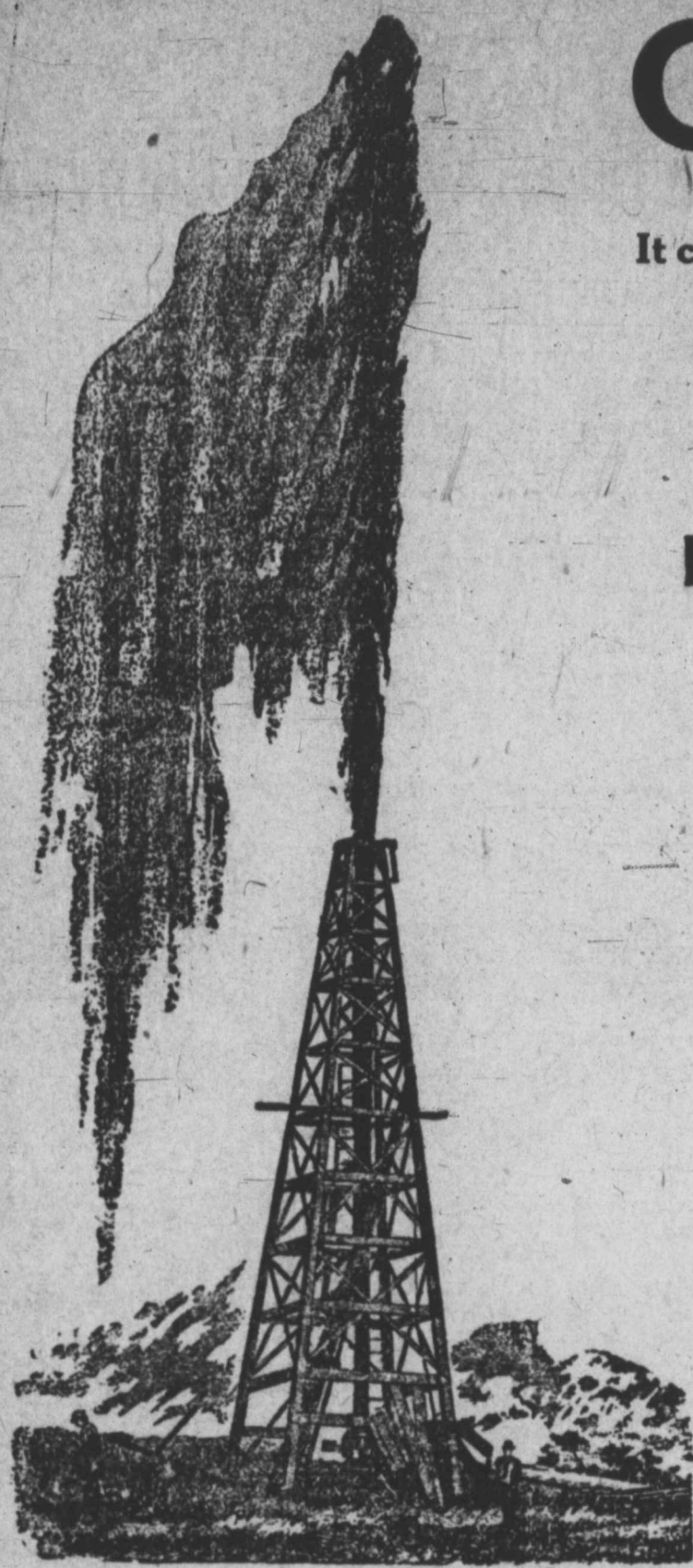
Petroleum and Gas Company, of Lamesa, Texas,

will place five hundred shares among the best business men of the state. We are not selling you an interest in five acres, ten acres or even one hundred acres, but in

13,000 Acres

of leases which offer as good prospects for oil and gas in paying quantities as any undeveloped field anywhere has ever offered. The heart of our leases is just southwest of the vast expanse of Cedar Lake, the largest bed-bottom in the state.

Read Every Word in this Ad.



WHY WE EXPECT OIL AND GAS ON OUR LEASES

Efficiency has been our slogan. Before we leased an acre of land in Gaines county we had three of the best geologists the state affords to make extended surveys of the country and upon their reports which were the most favorable we leased the country indicated by them as the heart of the oil pool about Cedar Lake. In addition to this we have subsequent reports from the most reliable geologists who have said unconditionally that our leases offer the most promising outlook for an enormous oil and gas field. Besides these reports there are numerous water wells in the vicinity of our leases which really contain oil, several to the extent that the water is not useable. There are also two wells from which gas escapes and will burn when a torch is applied. Then around the rim of the lake is found more oil shale than is found anywhere else in the state.

In addition to this it is noticeable how sincerely the people of the Cedar Lake country believe in the proposition. These people who have lived there for years and have seen the surface indications and talked with the geologists on their surveys are thoroughly confident that oil and gas will be found in enormous quantities whenever the drill goes deep enough. They believe this to the extent that a large part of all stock sold will be sold to those living almost in sight of the drill which makes the first well.

ASSURANCE TO INVESTORS

The promoters of this company have placed a large forfeit on deposit as a guarantee that the first test well will be drilled to the depth of four thousand feet unless oil and gas are found in paying quantities at a lesser depth.

Besides the stock holders will vote as soon as the stock is sold on the exact amount of leases to be set aside to sell as developments go on to repay the people who buy stock for every dollar they have invested whether oil and gas is obtained or not.

Material has been ordered for drilling the first well and we hope to be drilling just as soon as delivery can be had on same. Our contract guarantees operations within ninety days from Oct. 30.

When drilling is once begun the driller will be taken into the custody of the company and not allowed an opportunity to be bought by some big outfit to the detriment of the investors. We solicit your business on the grounds of PROTECTION and FAIR DEALINGS.

NO TIME TO WASTE

Stock in The Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Company will be on the market but a few days. It will not last. This is evidenced by the fact that one hundred and twenty of the five hundred shares to be sold were sold the first day it was placed on the market. If you would be one of the fortunate holders of a share in this company you must act quickly

or forever hereafter regret your delay. Our object is to put the share subscriptions over the top and the oil over the derrick at the earliest possible date. Satisfy yourself today and fall in line. Help develop the resources of your country.

See our salesman who will be in your town within the next week or mail the following coupon to A. D. Payne, President:

Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Company,
Lamesa, Texas

Without obligation on my part please send full information with rates for shares in your company. If your proposition appears in every way as represented I could probably invest \$.....

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Peace in the Country

When the news of peace reached the farmers it found most of them in the wheat fields. All morning the anxious farm mothers had been phoning their town friends to learn if any word had come yet. At about 10 o'clock the rural lines began to ring the glad tidings of Peace. Peace, Peace, through the country to every home in our land. Talk about the Old Liberty Bell! Sing its praises. Write poetry about the scenes of that glad day in '76. It had its day and history. But the little bell that rang out the story of Peace on Earth—that sent the glad news fingering into every heart and home in this nation—was the telephone bell. The instant they heard the word, away ran the children to the fields to tell their father and the big boys. If the field was too far away, the women cranked their jitneys and off they went. Somebody sent somebody else to every school house to tell the children there. Father and mother met in the middle of the field and rejoiced together. THEIR BOY would soon be home. Most of them did. (Some of them won't come back). But they rejoice any way to know that no more would need to go.

While the city whistles blew and

the people were all set free to do as they pleased; business paralyzed and everybody had a holiday, the rural mother wiped the tears away with her apron and went back to the house to get dinner. Father knocked a tear or two off his cheek with his jumper sleeve, patted old Pete and Jack on the neck, climbed back on the drill and with a "Get up, old fellows," he starts across the field. "We've got to get this wheat in," he says to himself. "There's a lot of hungry children 'over there' that will need every loaf of bread I can raise next year. And then, looks now like John would be home to help me by that time. Why, I could work all winter out here if I just knew he'll be here next summer." This is what he is thinking as another big dusty tear drops off his jumper down under the disc. Oh, the fields that have been planted in tears the last few years. But it looks now like those who have sown in tears shall reap rejoicing.

The day was perfect in our part of the country and the big wheat drills swept back and forth across the fields like the messages of Peace across the oceans. There were thousands of acres of bread planted that day. No, our farmers did not stop to celebrate until night. They thought it was just as patriotic to put in wheat for our allies to eat. Anyway there isn't much fun or enthusiasm—celebrating by yourself. But they were happy just the same and at night many were the jubilee meetings and United War Work meetings at the schoolhouses thruout our country.

It was the first time most of us had ever heard the news, "Peace," and we scarcely knew what to do or how to act. It seemed to us that those

who thought and felt the least made the most noise, but we don't know how they felt, because we couldn't tell for the life of us how we felt ourselves. But it was a rainbow day of joy and tears for everybody with HOPE ahead. From the depressions of doubt and fear just the day before, hope seemed to spring up everywhere. The sun shone brighter, the sky was blue, and the wheat fields looked greener than they did at sunset Sunday night.

One woman phoned us that her chickens even seemed to respond to the terms of world peace and settled down and laid seventeen eggs that day, after a three months mutiny.

Some of our women are already wondering when they can bake another cake and some of us are beginning to worry a little because we haven't as much jam and jelly as usual. We are afraid the boys will come home and we won't have anything sweet for them. But don't worry over it any more than you can help. For you will very likely have plenty of time to make pie and cake and jam before the boys come back. Besides, Mr. Hoover has a little program he wants us all to help him carry out before we quit being patriotic.

Of course the wait is going to seem long. But let's get busy finishing up OUR PART of the War Savings Stamps; the Red Cross and United War Work. Let's plan a big food program for next year and begin to get ready for it. We are not thru yet. There's a lot to do here as well as over there before the boys come home. One little boy we know is afraid his Uncle Karl won't get home before his thirty big pumpkins are all gone. This was a part of his contribution to the food supply this year. Get to work doing things to help feed the world next year is one of the best ways to prove our gratitude for the peace that has come to our country and to our hearts, and the busier we are the quicker the boys will come home.—By Phebe K. Warner; Fort Worth Star Telegram.

GENERAL PERSHING TO AMERICAN FARMERS.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has sent to T. O. Walton, Acting Director of Extension Service A. and M. College of Texas, the following message of appreciation from General John J. Pershing to American Farmers, which should prove exceedingly gratifying to every Texan as a token of appreciation for their service and sacrifice during our great struggle against imperialism.

This message of appreciation from General Pershing to American farmers was received by Carl Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, who is now in France with a committee of American agricultural representatives.

American Expeditionary Forces, Office of the Commander in Chief, France.

October 16, 1918.

Honorable Carl Vrooman: Will you please convey to farmers of America our profound appreciation of their patriotic services to the country and to the allied armies in the field? They have furnished their full quota of fighting men; they have bought largely of Liberty Bonds; and they have increased their production of food crops both last year and this by over a thousand million bushels above normal production. Food is of vital military necessity for us and for our allies, and from the day of our entry into this war, America's armies of food producers have rendered invaluable service to the allied cause by supporting the soldiers at the front thru their devoted and splendidly successful work in the fields and furrows at home.

Very sincerely,
JOHN J. PERSHING.

Labor and Capital Urged to Co-operate

New York, Nov. 18.—Urging joint action between wage earners and employees "in peace as in war," the National Association of Manufacturers, in a statement issued here today, declared it would "stand firmly for the spirit of patriotic industrial co-operation for the working out of reconstruction postwar problems, so that the United States will be in a position to meet every present and future need here and abroad.

"In America today we hold the powerful influence of providing examples for the rest of the world," read the statement. "Confusion which has developed in our American industries during the hustle and bustle of waging war on a modern scale should be and will be eliminated in good time. We must lend our every effort to avoid bitterness, acrimony, calamity howling or whining. Nothing is to be gained by either side, if there are sides, thru cultivation or promotion of misunderstandings."

Asserting that "no manufacturer has or seeks to exercise and rights or privileges which any other good American is asked to surrender," the statement continued:

"We believe that absolutism on the part of the laborer is just as bad for the general welfare of the Nation as absolutism of so-called capital. Both elements ought to be able to find a common and equitable basis on which properly to meet every present and future need. In this effort to reach and maintain a common ground our industrial factors need and expect constructive, legitimate and impartial encouragement from the Government and a healthy, well-informed public opinion.

"Any organization which sets for itself the task of creating or sustaining an artificial or abnormal economic condition in American industry is certainly not working for the true and proper interests of its members."

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 50c per bottle.

The one-crop man will eventually strike a snag. Diversify, live at home and make your principal crop a money crop. Do not mine the soil. Give it a square deal. Never rob it, but make a fair exchange. When ever you take out nitrogen, phosphorus, potash, etc., in one form, be sure to replace it in another form. If Texas land could tell the story of its abuse farmers would be astonished. You would not attempt to starve animals or work them twenty-four hours a day and get results, neither can you starve your land or mine it and get the best returns.

RED CROSS VANISHING CREAM

(WITH PEROXIDE)
A greaseless cream of snowy whiteness. Delightfully perfumed. A day cream for gilly skins. Softens the hard lines of the face. Protects it from sunburns, winds, tans and cold weather. Affords an excellent foundation for applying Amrico Beauty Face Powder. This and more than one hundred other Red Cross Remedies and Toilet preparations sold and guaranteed only by

BURROUGHS & JARRETT

We have a tailor now. Phone us and have those clothes cleaned up. Phone 37. 34-11c

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 50c.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT—

THE TEXAS HAND MADE

is the Best Cigar in Texas

Made in Amarillo by

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ON SALE EVERY PLACE

Try one and you will be satisfied.

We know what we are talking about

THANKSGIVING For That Dinner



Good Things Galore From Our Store To Your Door

More truth than poetry in this.

Our great stock of fancy groceries is chock full of good things—fragrant coffees and teas, snappy and mild cheese, oranges, bananas, lemons, grapefruit, olive oil, spices and the finest grades of canned goods.

Everything you need in the grocery line.

EXTRACTS	
2 oz. Lemon Extract	25c
2 oz. Vanilla Extract	35c
2 oz. Strawberry Extract	35c
Above in Forbes or Prices.	
15 oz. Glass Jars, Delmonte Pure Fruit Preserves	30c
15 oz. Lippincott's Apple Butter	20c
24 oz. jar White Swan Apple Butter	40c
25 oz. glass jars Lippincott's Apple Butter	50c
24 oz. apple butter in tins	25c
Large size Beechnut Strawberry Jam	40c
Large size Beechnut grape jelly	40c
Medium size	25c
Pint bottle Sunkist Catsup	30c
Pint bottle Delmonte Catsup	30c
1-2 pint Catsup	15c
Ripe Olives in tins, 15c, 25c and 50c	15c
Also in gallons	\$1.50
Large size Durkee's Salad Dressing	35c
Heinz Beef Steak Sauce	35c
Oscar Sauce	25c
Large Chili Sauce	35c
Qt. jar prepared Mustard	25c
11 oz. pkg. Seeded Raisins	15c
Evap. Apricots, per lb.	22c
Evap. Peaches, per lb.	18c
Evap. Prunes 70-80 per lb.	17 1-2c
Macaroni, Spaghetti and Vermicelli per pkg.	10c
3 boxes Ivory Starch	25c
3 boxes Arm & Hammer Soda	25c
2 1-2 oz. Spices, all kinds	10c
Large pkg. Corn Starch	10c
6 boxes Searchlight Matches	40c
6 boxes large Posties	\$1.15
6 boxes Kellogg's Corn Flakes	85c
Puffed Rice	15c
6 pks. Puffed Rice	85c

10 lb. bulk Coffee	\$1.85
No. 1 grade Peaberry Coffee, per lb.	25c
10 lb. Mexican Beans	\$1.00
10 pounds Pink Beans	\$1.50
Large Quaker Oats	30c
6 lbs. Graham Flour	50c
6 lbs. whole Wheat Flour	50c
Large size Wesson Oil	\$1.90
Small Crisco	95c
Medium Crisco	\$1.95
8 lb. Pails Compound	\$2.45
No. 2 Standard Corn	15c
No. 2 Fancy Corn	20c
6 cans No. 2 Fancy Corn	\$1.00
No. 2 Standard Tomatoes	15c
No. 2 1-2 California Peaches, Delmonte	30c
No. 2 1-2 Standard Calif. Peaches	25c
GALLON FRUITS	
No. 10 Apples, per can	60c
No. 10 Calif. Table Peaches	85c
No. 10 Calif. Pears	85c
No. 10 Calif. Apricots	85c
No. 10 Blackberries	\$1.00
No. 10 Sour Pitted Cherries	\$1.25
Brass King Wash Boards	65c
5 gallon Galvanized Oil Can	\$1.25
Heavy Canton Flannel Gloves, pr.	15c
100 lbs. Corn	\$3.65
100 lbs. Corn Chops	\$3.75
100 lbs. Hominy Feed	\$3.65
100 lbs. Barley Chops	\$3.50
100 lbs. K. M. & B. Chojs	\$3.75
10c less in 5 bag lots.	
25 lb. sack best white Pearl Meal	\$1.25

SYRUPS	
Corn and Cane Syrups, per gal.	90c
Pure Cane Syrups, per gallon	\$1.00
Pure Country Sorghum, per gal.	\$1.10
Large five straw broom	90c
Medium 4 straw Broom	75c

Just one word to those who are in the habit of ordering groceries from Mail Order Houses. Make out your order on a mail order blank. Bring your order and catalogue along with you and we will fill your order at mail order prices and make delivery while you wait.

Pipkin Grocery Co.

Back in the Transfer Business Again

Prompt and Careful Attention given to hauling of baggage, express and other light transfer work.

Phone 74 C. P. SHELNUTT



AUCTION SALE

Saturday, November 23

Beginning at 3:30 p. m. and continuing until 8 p. m. We will sell at public auction for CASH, to the highest bidder, \$1000.00 worth of MERCHANDISE, consisting of

Mens and Boys Suits, Womens and Childrens Coats, Suits and Dresses, Ladies Skirts, a lot of Odds and Ends in 2-piece Underwear, Hats and Caps, Mens, Womens and Childrens Shoes, Sweaters, a few Ladies Slip on Rain Coats, a number of other things will be included. This Merchandise is, of course, old Style, and the materials could not be bought today at Wholesale for twice what we have these garments marked to sell for.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE, SATURDAY, NOV. 23RD.

Terms of Sale STRICTLY CASH. Positively no goods returned or exchanged, sold in this Sale.



WE have a few patterns Coats and Suits left that we are making prices on that you cant resist the temptation to buy when you see them.

Have you looked at those boots priced at only \$12.00, they aae going fast dont overlook this opportunity Men.

The ladies underwear that we have been making such low prices on is about all gone, if you are going to need any more better hurry.

We have a number of other specials we are running for this month on Laces, Embroideries, Insertions, Ribbons, etc. We need your business. You need the goods, come in and let us do some trading

REDFEARN & COMPANY

Zeb Mitchell returned Tuesday night from Granbury, Texas, where he went to attend the funeral of a brother.

After Your Baby Is Born

Think Now About the Time to Come Afterwards.



When you hold in your arms your tiny infant, be sure that you can feel that before its arrival you did all in your power to give to it a happy prenatal existence. Scientists say that the thoughts and feelings of the expectant mother greatly affect the health and disposition of the future infant.

For over half a century thousands of women who have used the time-honored remedy, Mother's Friend, say that they entirely escaped nausea, nervousness and that peculiar distressing feeling so usual where nature is unaided. They thus preserved a wonderfully bright and happy disposition, which reflects so markedly upon the unborn child.

By the regular use of Mother's Friend the muscles are made and kept soft and elastic to readily yield to nature's demand for expansion without the usual wrenching strain. The nerves are not drawn upon, and as a consequence the expectant mother is calm and serene and the nights are not disturbed with nervous twitchings, and the crisis is one of joy and happiness.

Write the Bradford Regulator Company, Dept. K, Lamar Building, Atlanta, Georgia, for their Motherhood Book, of value to every woman, and get a bottle of Mother's Friend from your druggist and begin a treatment that will bring real results.

CHURCHES

Methodist Church.
Sunday School, 9:45.
Preaching, 11 o'clock. Subject: "Why This Waste."
Epworth League, 6:30.
Evening Service, 7:15.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.

Baptist Church.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
Sunbeams 2 p. m.
B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 7 p. m.
Teachers meeting Friday night, 7 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. Program
We have decided to change our time of meeting from the evening hour to 4 p. m. All of the young people are invited.
The following program will be rendered Sunday afternoon.
Subject: "South America and The Southern Baptist Missions."
Leader: Miss Ida Rowan.
"Our Chief Problem in South American countries are Succeeding Against Fearful Odds."—Burlison Atkins.
"Work in Brazil More Hopeful."—Miss Elva Fronbarger.
"Rio Baptist College"—Albert Chapman.
"The Living Conditions in South America."—Miss Bohner.
Poem: "Give Thanks"—Miss Nan-nie Johnson.
Close with prayer.

Rev. R. Jank returned from the Lutheran conference at Wichita Falls, and reports an interesting session.

We have a tailor now. Phone us and have those clothes cleaned up. Phone 37. 34-3tc

C. N. Harrison and O. N. Gamble were in Hereford Tuesday on business.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. Thatcher of LeCompton, Kans., spent the week-end with his son, W. E. Thatcher.
W. H. Lewis and family left for Atwell, Colo., Tuesday where they will make their future home.
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stephenson of Amarillo spent Sunday in Canyon with Mrs. Stephen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Baird.
W. O. Mounts has sold his dairy business to A. D. Dooley and C. Long. He will move his family to Oklahoma soon to make their future home.
Every body who knows will want stock with the Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Co. of Lamesa, Texas. You should know.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Renfroe and Mrs. Ben Hubert of Hereford stopped over for an hour's visit in the city Tuesday, en route home from Amarillo.
B. C. Taylor came in Saturday Night from Muscle Shoals, Ala., where he has been working for the last two months. He is laid up with a couple of boils. He reports the other men that went with him, from here well pleased with the work and all were well.

New Dairy
I will start a dairy next Monday, the 18th. Anyone wanting milk, phone 197 or 243. A. D. Dooley 84-1tc

PERSONAL MENTION

Campbell & McElroy shipped 4 cars of cows to Rankin, Texas, for winter pasture.
Miss Amelia Luke who has been suffering with an attack of influenza is rapidly recovering.
C. N. Harrison was in Amarillo Monday on business.
Mrs. S. E. Russell of Amarillo spent Wednesday in Canyon.
Dr. Zoglin of the S. A. T. C. Barracks left Wednesday morning for Ft. Beauregard, Louisiana.
Roy Cullum of Amarillo was in Canyon on business Tuesday afternoon.
R. L. McMurtry was in Plainview on business Tuesday.
Rowe's Hog Oiler for sale by Thompson Hardware Co.
Rowe's Medicated Hog Oil for sale by Thompson Hardware Co.
Mrs. Chas. E. Thatcher of Amarillo is visiting at the home of W. E. Thatcher.
Miss Willie Mae Ashby passed through the early part of the week to take up her school duties at Havener, New Mexico.

D. P. Ross returned Monday night from Canyon, having started to drive through in his car, but had a bad wreck on the other side of Goodnight, which looked little but resulted seriously in car turning over and breaking up, and injuring him somewhat. The accident was the result of the steering wheel breaking.—Clarendon News.

PERSONAL MENTION

For indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness
Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

You Have Waited Four Long Years to see THE KAISERS FINISH
Well, we will show you his finish
Thanksgiving Day
What an appropriate day for this deed!
BRAN NEW MADE LAST WEEK
Direct from 8 Day Run in Dallas at 50c Prices
Special Notice
We absolutely guarantee that for the first and only time, the KAISER AND CROWN PRINCE appear personally in this Picture, not actors made up, but Them, Themselves bought from German Traitor
SPECIAL MATINEE
3 to 5 p. m.
PRICES
10c and 25c
All Day Long
OLYMPIC

Fall Stock Reducing Sale

A money-saving event of first importance

\$100,000.00 Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' and Children's Shoes and Boys' Clothing offered to the people of Amarillo and surrounding territory, at prices that mean double welcome savings.

This sale will continue until sufficient stock reductions have been made.

Moore=Mathis & Co.

CORNER 7th and POLK STREETS. AMARILLO, TEXAS

Report of Condition of the First National Bank

at Canyon, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Nov. 1, 1918.

RESOURCES	
Loan and discounts, (except those shown in b and c)	\$272,815.86
Foreign Bills of Exchange or Drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under item d, above (see Item 57c)	42,496.78
Overdrafts, secured, unsecured	5,220.45
U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness)	50,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	50,000.00
Payments actually made on Liberty 4 1-4 per cent bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan owned	1,950.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	11,823.85
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	2,100.00
Equity in banking house	7,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	25,859.27
Lawful reserve in Federal Reserve Bank	3,463.21
Cash in vault and net amounts due from nat'l banks	41,602.20
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	11,598.85
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	53,201.05
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	41.60
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	312.43
TOTAL	\$398,790.94
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	18,780.69
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,509.23
Net amount due to National Banks	750.04
Individual deposits subject to check	199,752.11
Cashier's checks outstanding	7,633.64
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits (subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41	207,385.75
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	58,383.69
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 42, 43, 44 and 45	58,383.69
TOTAL	\$398,790.94
Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d)	42,496.78
Total contingent liabilities (57a, b and c)	42,496.78
STATE OF TEXAS, County of Randall, ss: I, E. H. Powell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
E. H. POWELL, Cashier.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1918.	
F. P. LUKE, Notary Public.	
CORRECT—Attest: C. D. LESTER, L. T. LESTER, E. H. POWELL, Directors.	

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GERMAN WAR DEPT TO FRANCE STAGGERING

Paris Newspaper Puts Amount At 340,000,000,000 Francs, Or \$68,000,000,000.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—(Havas Agency).—Germany's debt to France is estimated at 340,000,000,000 francs (\$68,000,000,000) by the Matin in an editorial today. The newspaper appraises the debt as follows:

Return of the indemnity for 1871, with interest, 60,000,000,000 francs; expenses in the present war 140,000,000,000 francs and reparation for damages 100,000,000,000 francs.

Germany and Austria, it adds, should return to the allies a minimum of 7,000,000 tons of shipping in payment for that destroyed in the war, but they have at their disposal only 3,000,000 tons. Consequently the delivery of the entire German-Austrian merchant marine would constitute only half reparation.

British newspapers say German capitalistic classes are endeavoring to evade the war charges facing their country. The wealthier Germans are said to be transferring large amounts of money to neutral countries. The result of this policy, it is pointed out, would naturally be to shift the burdens of the war onto the shoulders of the poorer classes.

The Times and other London papers declare that the allied Governments will not allow chicanery of this sort to interfere with any rightful demand which they make upon German resources.

8,000,000 ACRES OF LAND AVAILABLE FOR SOLDIERS.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 16.—More than 8,000,000 acres of land in the six Southern States of Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee and Texas have been tendered to the Federal Government to provide farm homes for soldiers and sailors, according to a statement tonight by L. G. Sinnard of the United States Reclamation Service.

The lands comprise State lands subject to homestead entry and tracts privately owned which have been listed with the department. Large tracts of cut-over timber lands are said to be included in the acreage.

Rate Case Up Again

Hamlin Palmer, acting secretary of the Board of City Development, went to Dallas Monday where he met with the traffic committee of the United States Railroad Administration in order to discuss freight rates in regard to the Panhandle.

Among the rates which will come up for discussion will be the differential freight rate on grain which is applied to this district. Because of the alleged lack of traffic in this district, it is said that shippers are compelled to pay a higher rate.

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THE HUN'S DEMANDS UPON FRANCE IN WAR OF 1870

Sept. 1, 1870, Sedan, with its army and the Emperor of France, surrendered to the Germans, Oct. 27 Bazaine gave up another immense French army at Metz. Gladly would France have made peace but for the avowed intentions of the German Government to demand indemnities and the cessation of its territories. Sept. 4 the assembly declared the deposition of Napoleon and a proclamation was issued announcing the republic. Jules Favre asked the German Emperor if he meant to furnish the nineteenth century with the spectacle of two nations destroying one another and heaping the dead upon the dead and ruin upon ruin. "Yet, if it is a challenge," he said, "we accept—not an inch of our territory, not a stone of our fortresses, will we cede."

But the German armies moved relentlessly forward and began the siege of Paris, and France made up her mind to fight to the bitter end. Outside of Paris she had a scattered and demoralized army of 500,000 men. Inside of Paris she had the national guard and newly recruited civilians, amounting to about 400,000 men. With the armies released from Sedan and Metz, Germany encircled Paris and began the memorable siege. At first there was no bombardment—there were some among the German leaders who wanted to save the "beautiful city." Bismarck and Roon chafed against this sentimental restriction. "The Parisians have too much to eat and too little to digest," wrote Roon in November, when the situation in Paris was fast approaching the starvation stage, "iron pills, namely, of which too few have been employed. Though certain intrigues stand in our way here, I hope that they—the pills—will take effect; it would be too great a same to let all the glory of the war to go to the devil in this way."

Meanwhile from court to court, Thiers traveled vainly seeking to effect a truce—"the French Government was as yet too unstable to deal with," was all the assurance he could get. By the middle of November the situation of the besieged of Paris had grown appalling. Horse meat soared in price beyond all reach. Rats, selling at 60 centimes apiece were being eagerly devoured. Infants were dying by the thousands for want of milk and the whole death rate had trebled in a few months. A bitter unusual winter was setting in. And just about this time, the Germans, having settled their esthetical differences in the matter of the bombardment, began throwing over Roon's "iron pills." Some 56,000 shots were fired into the city, and at last after 132 days of starvation and appalling scenes of misery and death, Jules Farve was sent forth from Paris to ask an armistice.

Farve met Bismarck at Versailles. After the first salutations, and eye-witness of the negotiations records, Farve said he had come to renew the negotiations for a truce. Bismarck interrupted him to say: "The situation has changed. If you are still going to say 'not an inch, not a stone' we may break off at once. My time is valuable and yours also." Then after all why should I treat with you? Why should I give your irregular republic an appearance of legality by signing an armistice with its representative? What are you but rebels? Your Emperor, if he came back would have the right to shoot every one of you." After a few outbursts of this kind, Bismarck settled down to business. He asked Farve to write down such condition of peace as seemed to him reasonable and that they would discuss them the next day.

The next day Bismarck having had interviews with the Emperor William and Von Moltke, had another interview with Farve and totally ignoring Farve's propositions, submitted his own schedule for an armistice, which was as follows:

1. An armistice for twenty-one days
2. Disarmament of the French army, the latter to remain in Paris as prisoners of war.
3. The soldiers to give up arms and banners; officers to keep their swords.
4. The armistice to extend all over France.
5. Paris to pay indemnity and give up its forts to the Prussians.
6. The Germans not to enter Paris during the armistice.

6. Elections to be held throughout France for a national assembly to consider conditions of peace.

This was the preliminary draft of the terms of the armistice upon which the negotiations were opened. Some modifications and changes were made before the final signature. Outside of Paris, the French armies were still in the field fighting, their leaders declaring their determination to continue the fight until more favorable terms of peace could be obtained, with no indemnities and no cession of territory. The districts in which these armies were fighting were exempted from the armistice. And, as

an earnest of the indemnity proposition, Bismarck demanded an immediate advance of ransom money amounting to \$40,000,000. This was exclusive of the \$1,000,000,000 indemnity afterward demanded and obtained. After three days of negotiations the armistice was signed Jan. 28, 1871.

In pursuance of this agreement, the German corps outside of Paris both parties withdrew their outposts to a distance of five miles, but all immediately occupied the forts lying in their front, more particularly those of Mont-Valerien and St. Denis, the ground between the forts and the walls remaining on neutral ground. The German prisoners were given up, the military followed by degrees and the "ransom" money was paid over. During the armistice the first consideration of the Germans was to restore their troops to their war standing the city walls, and all arranged the forts they occupied around Paris were at once armed on the front facing the city walls, and all arrangements were made, in case of the recommencement of hostilities, that the strongest resistance could be made at all points. It was made an armistice with a strong German punch behind it.

Pending the negotiations for a final peace the armistice was twice extended, each time with a few additional demands upon the part of Germany. Finally the general elections were held all over France to ratify the negotiations, the National Assembly met at Bordeaux and a provisional government, with M. Thiers at its head, was formed and peace concluded. At the final conference Bismarck played his trump cards—the cession of Alsace-Lorraine, \$1,000,000,000 indemnity and stipulation that the German army should be allowed to march triumphantly thru the streets of Paris in token of victory.

The treaty of peace was signed at Frankfurt, May 10. Thirty thousand Germans marched into Paris and took possession of parts of the city, withdrawing after forty eight hours, having thereby satisfied their demand for the "enemy's" humiliation.

FINE OUTLOOK FOR WHEAT IN TEXAS PANHANDLE.

The largest wheat acreage in the history of the Panhandle and the best prospects for wheat that he has seen in five-years are reported by Ross D. Rodgers, a business man of Amarillo, who was in Dallas yesterday. Mr. Rodgers said that in the Panhandle there was no severe drouth this year, although the rainfall was much less than usual, and that few people left that section.

"In Amarillo we are just recovering from the influenza epidemic," Mr. Rodgers said. For about a month the city was under quarantine and the theatres were allowed to open only last week.

This was the first visit Mr. Rodgers had made to Dallas in nearly a year and, he expressed himself as greatly surprised at the large crowds on the streets and the manifest activity in all lines. He said he had had an idea that the war had brought about a slackening in most lines of industry.

"Dallas looks like the city of the Southwest to me," Mr. Rodgers said. "Its growth, even during war times has been remarkable, and I'm willing to bet that no other Texas city will ever head her."—Dallas News.

MANY TEXAS CATTLE AT KANSAS CITY SHOW

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 16.—Texas cattle are taking a prominent part in the American Royal Live Stock Show which opened here today with 1,100 cattle on display. This is the greatest live-stock show ever held in the Southwest and without Texas cattle it would be like a Xmas tree without toys. The cattle here are the aristocrats of the Hereford shorthorn and Angus breeds, many of them having been prize winners at the big state fairs. The Herefords number 662 head shown by 64 exhibitors from seventeen states. This year for the first time a Canadian herd is being shown. The Shorthorns number 360, shown by forty-two exhibitors from ten States, and there are ninety head of Angus, all from the west. H. Hill & son, Christoval, Texas, were the first exhibitors of the Angus cattle to arrive here with a show herd.

With \$10,000 in cash premiums offered on Herefords said to be the largest purse ever offered in any one show for a single breed of beef cattle, and many special prizes and trophies offered, Hereford breeders are out in force. Some of the leading Hereford men in Texas have cattle here. List of Texas Hereford exhibitors follows: C. R. Barber, Hereford, W. E. Bennett, Amarillo; R. V. Cqbert & Son, Stamford; Henry M. Half, Midland; C. M. Largent & Son, Merkel; W. B. Mitchell, Marfa; Mrs. H. M. Pegues & Sons, Odessa.

Professor J. C. Burns of the Texas Agricultural College, College Station is one of the Hereford judges.

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A Bumper Crop Story.

John Eschler arrived from House, Wednesday with machinery to thresh the grain and shell the corn grown in the Fort Sumner irrigated neighborhood. Crops of grain especially corn, are said to be unusually good this season. Ollie Welborn visited the DeGraffenreid place this week and says a hired man had clumb a corn stalk Monday to get a sack of corn and had been gone three days when he left, and that the folks at the ranch were getting a little worried as the man is working by the month and his wages go on just the same. J. O. also says crows are damaging the corn considerable, but they do not work below the range of high power rifles. The flu is often accompanied by delirium.

Boy Killed in Sand Bank

A seven-year-old son of B. N. Scott and wife was killed near Eli Tuesday afternoon by being caught under a caving bank of dirt. The parents were in Memphis at the time the accident occurred. He had come in to make out his questionnaire and the news came to them over the telephone. They hurried home at once to be able to render any assistance possible. They boy was called Paul and was one of six children in the family. The children had been playing near the bank when the accident came. The entire community will regret to learn of the sudden and unexpected death.—Memphis Herald.

Young Horse Thief Arrested

Deputy W. H. Collin and Lewis Thomas of Clovis, spent Wednesday night in Melrose on their return from Yesb, where Collin picked up a 14-year-old boy, by the name of Casey, wanted at Texico on a charge of horse stealing. It is said that he had the animal in his possession at the time of his arrest.

Thomas had a coyote he had killed with a 20-gage shotgun near Yesb.—Melrose (N. M.) Messenger.

Did you neglect your own seed this year or merely resolve to do so and then forget it? It takes seed to raise crops and you may be sorry when the time comes. An ounce of prevention is worth one pound of cure. The man who has land and no seed will be like the man with fire arms and no powder, unable to shoot. He will have to take any old powder he can get, and what he gets may be worthless.

Seeing is believing on the holdings of the Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Co. of Lamesa, Texas.

HOW TO FIGHT SPANISH INFLUENZA

BY DR. L. W. BOWERS.

Avoid crowds, coughs and colds, but fear neither germs nor Germans! Keep the system in good order, take plenty of exercise in the fresh air and practice cleanliness. Remember a clean mouth, a clean skin, and clean bowels are a protecting armour against disease. To keep the liver and bowels regular and to carry away the poisons within, it is best to take a vegetable pill every other day, made up of May-apple, aloes, jalap, and sugar-coated, to be had at most drug stores, known as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. If there is a sudden onset of what appears like a hard cold, one should go to bed, wrap warm, take a hot mustard foot-bath and drink copiously of hot lemonade. If pain develops in head or back, ask the druggist for Anurie (anti-uric) tablets. These will flush the bladder and kidneys and carry off poisonous germs. To control the pains and aches take one Anurie tablet every two hours, with frequent drinks of lemonade. The pneumonia appears in a most treacherous way, when the influenza victim is apparently recovering and anxious to leave his bed. In recovering from a bad attack of influenza or pneumonia the system should be built up with a good herbal tonic, such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made without alcohol from the roots and barks of American forest trees, or his Ironto (iron tonic) tablets, which can be obtained at most drug stores, or send 10c. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. for trial package.

NOTICE

As a condition of further credit, all goods bought from us in November or before must be paid for by the 5 of December, and thereafter monthly bills must be paid by the 5th of the following month. The other stores of town have already adopted this rule or are selling for cash. The conditions which have caused them to do this have been fully explained. We regret that the same conditions now force us to adopt a strict thirty day rule. We want no misunderstandings, no hard feelings. Many of our customers we would be glad to carry if we could, but we have to get our money more promptly or quit buying.

The Orton Stores

STEADIER HOG MARKETS PLANNED

Hog Producers and Packers Confer With Representatives of the Food Administration and Agricultural Department and Adopt New Plan of Regulation.

In accordance with the policy of the Food Administration since its foundation to consult representative men in the agricultural industry on occasions of importance to special branches of the industry, on October 24 there was convened in Washington a meeting of the Live Stock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board and the special members representing the swine industry to consider the situation in the hog market.

The conference lasted for three days, and during this time met with the executive committee of the fifty packing firms participating in foreign orders for pork products and with the members of the Food Administration directing foreign pork purchases.

The conclusions of the conference were as follows:

The entire marketing situation has so changed since the September joint conference as to necessitate an entire alteration in the plans of price stabilization. The current peace talk has alarmed the holders of corn, and there has been a price decline of from 25 cents to 40 cents per bushel. The fact that the accumulations of low priced corn in the Argentine and South Africa would, upon the advent of peace and liberated shipping, become available to the European market has created a great deal of apprehension on the part of corn holders. This decline has spread fear among swine growers that a similar reduction in the prices of hogs would naturally follow. Moreover, the lower range of corn prices would, if incorporated in a 13-to-1 ratio, obviously result in a continuously falling price for live hogs. In view of these changed conditions many swine producers anticipated lower prices and as a result rushed their hogs to market in large numbers, and this overshipment has added to and aggravated the decline.

The information of the Department of Agriculture indicates that the supply of hogs has increased about 8 per cent, while the highest unofficial estimate does not exceed 15 per cent. increased production over last year. On the other hand, the arrival of hogs during the last three weeks in the seven great markets has been 27 per cent. more than last year, during the corresponding period, demonstrating the unusually heavy marketing of the available supply. In the face of the excessive receipts some packers have not maintained the price agreed last month. On the other hand, many of the packers have paid over the price offered to them in an endeavor to maintain the agreed price. The result in any event has been a failure to maintain the October price basis determined upon at the September conference and undertaken by the packers. Another factor contributing to the break in prices during the month has been the influenza epidemic; it has sharply curtailed consumption of pork products and temporarily decreased the labor staff of the packers about 25 per cent.

The exports of 130,000,000 pounds of pork products for October compared with about 52,000,000 pounds in October a year ago, and the export orders placeable by the Food Administration for November, amount to 170,000,000 pounds as contrasted with the lesser exports of 98,000,000 for November, 1917. The increased demands of the allies are continuing, and are in themselves proof of the necessity for the large production for which the Food Administration asked. The increase in export demands appears to be amply sufficient to take up the increase in hog production, but unfavorable market conditions existing in October afford no fair index of the aggregate supply and demand.

It must be evident that the enormous shortage in fats in the Central Empire and neutral countries would immediately upon peace result in additional demands for pork products which, on top of the heavy shipments to the Allies, would tend materially to increase the American exports, inasmuch as no considerable reservoir of supplies exists outside of the United States. It seems probable that the present prospective supplies would be inadequate to meet this world demand with the return to peace. So far as it is possible to interpret this fact, it appears that there should be even a stronger demand for pork products after the war, and therefore any alarm of hog producers as to the effect of peace is unwarranted by the outlook.

In the light of these circumstances it is the conclusion of the conference that attempts to hold the price of hogs to the price of corn may work out to the disadvantage of pork producers. It is the conclusion that any interpretation of the formula should be a broad gauged policy applied over a long period. It is the opinion of the conference that in substitution of the present plans of stabilization the Live Stock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board, together with the specially invited swine representatives, should accept the invitation of the Food Administration to join with the Administration and the packers in determining the prices at which controlled export orders are to be placed. This will be regularly done. The influence of these orders will be directed to the maintenance of the common object—namely, the stabilization of the price of live hogs so as to secure as far as it is possible fair returns to the

Livestock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board, together with special swine members and the representatives of the packers, to improve the present unsatisfactory situation, which has unfortunately resulted because of the injection of uncontrollable factors.

We ask the producer to co-operate with us in a most difficult task. The members of the Conference were:

Producers—H. C. Stuart, Elk Garden, Va., Chairman Agricultural Advisory Board; W. M. McFadden, Chicago, Ill.; A. Sykes, Ida Grove, Ia.; John M. Elyard, Ames, Ia.; J. H. Mercer, Live Stock Commission for Kansas; J. G. Brown, Monon, Ind.; E. C. Brown, President Chicago Livestock Exchange; N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo.; John Grattan, Broomfield, Colo.; Eugene Funk, Bloomington, Ill.; Isaac Lincoln, Aberdeen, S. D.; C. W. Hunt, Logan, Ia.; C. E. Yancey, W. R. Dodson.

Food Administration—Herbert Hoover, F. S. Snyder, Major E. L. Roy, G. H. Powell.

Department of Agriculture—Louis D. Hall, F. R. Marshall.

The packers present and others sharing in foreign orders were represented by the elected packers' committee. Those represented were:

Packers—Armour & Co., Chicago, Ill.; Cudahy Packing Co., Chicago, Ill.; Morris & Co., Chicago, Ill.; Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill.; Wilson & Co., Chicago, Ill.; John Agar Co., Chicago, Ill.; Armstrong Packing Co., Dallas, Tex.; Boyd Dunham & Co., Chicago, Ill.; Brennan Packing Co., Chicago, Ill.; Cincinnati Abattoir Co., Cincinnati, O.; Cleveland Provisions Co., Cleveland, O.; Cudahy Bros. Co., Cudahy, Wis.; J. Dold Packing Co., Buffalo, N. Y.; Dunlevy Packing Co., Pittsburg, Pa.; J. E. Decker & Sons, Mason City, Ia.; Evansville Packing Co., Evansville, Ind.; East Side Packing Co., East St. Louis, Ill.; Hammond Standish & Co., Detroit, Mich.; G. A. Hormel & Co., Austin, Minn.; Home Packing & Ice Co., Terre Haute, Ind.; Independent Packing Co., Chicago, Ill.; Indianapolis Abattoir Co., Indianapolis, Ind.; International Provision Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Interstate Packing Co., Winona, Minn.; Iowa Packing Co., Des Moines, Ia.; Powers Begg Co., Jacksonville, Ill.; Kingan & Co., Indianapolis, Ind.; Krey Packing Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Lake Erie Provision Co., Cleveland, O.; Layton Co., Milwaukee, Wis.; Oscar Mayer & Bro., Sedgwick and Beethoven streets, Chicago, Ill.; J. T. McMillan Co., St. Paul, Minn.; Miller & Hart, Chicago, Ill.; J. Morrell & Co., Ottumwa, Ia.; Nuckolls Packing Co., Pueblo, Colo.; Ogden Packing and Provision Co., Ogden, Utah; Ohio Provision Co., Cleveland, O.; Parker Webb & Co., Detroit, Mich.; Pittsburg Packing and Provision Co., Pittsburg, Pa.; Rath Packing Co., Waterloo, Ia.; Roberts & Onke, Chicago, Ill.; Robe & Bros., New York City; W. C. Routh & Co., Logansport, Ind.; St. Louis Ind. Packing Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Sinclair & Co., T. M. Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Sullivan & Co., Detroit, Mich.; Theurer-Norton Provision Co., Cleveland, O.; Wilson Provision Co., Peoria, Ill.; Western Packing and Provision Co., Chicago, Ill.; Charles Wolf Packing Co., Topeka, Kan.

In view of the undertakings on the part of the Food Administration with regard to the co-ordinated purchases of pork products, covered in the attached, it is agreed that the packers participating in these orders will undertake not to purchase hogs for less than the following agreed minimums for the month of November, that is a daily minimum of \$17.50 per hundred pounds on average of packers' droves, excluding throw-outs. "Throw-outs" to be defined as pigs under 130 pounds, stags, boars, thin sows and skips. Further, that no hogs of any kind shall be bought, except throw-outs, at less than \$18.50 per hundred pounds. The average of packers' droves to be construed as the average of the total sales in the market of all hogs for a given day. All the above to be based on Chicago.

We agree that a committee shall be appointed by the Food Administration to check the daily operations in the various markets with a view to supervision and demonstration of the carrying out of the above.

The ability of the packers to carry out this arrangement will depend on there being a normal marketing of hogs based upon the proportionate increase over the receipts of last year. The increase in production appears to be a maximum of about 15 per cent. and we can handle such an increase.

If the producers of hogs should, as they have in the past few weeks, prematurely market hogs in such increasing numbers over the above it is entirely beyond the ability of the packers to maintain these minimums, and therefore we must have the co-operation of the producer himself to maintain these results. It is a physical impossibility for the capacity of the packing houses to handle a similar over-flood of hogs and to find a market for the output. The packers are anxious to co-operate with the producers in maintaining a stabilization of price and to see that producers receive a fair price for their products.

(Signed) THOS. E. WILSON, Chairman Packers' Committee.

The plan embodied above was adopted by the conference.

The Food Administrator has appointed a committee, comprising Mr. Thomas E. Wilson, chairman of the Packers' Committee; Mr. Everett Brown, president of the Chicago Livestock Exchange; Major Roy of the Food Administration; Mr. Louis D. Hall of the Bureau of Markets, to undertake the supervision of the execution of the plan in the various markets. Commission men are asked to co-operate in carrying out the plan embodied in the packers' agreement. It must be evident that offers by commission men to sell hogs below the minimum established above is not fair, either to the producer or the participating packers. Mr. Brown has undertaken on behalf of the commission men in the United States that they will loyally support the plan.

It is believed by the conference that this new plan, based as it is upon a positive minimum basis, will bring better results to the producer than average prices for the month. It does not limit top prices and should narrow the margins necessary to country buyers in more variable markets. It is believed that the plan should work out close to \$18 average.

Swine producers of the country will contribute to their own interest by not flooding the market, for it must be evident that if an excessive over percentage of hogs is marketed in any one month price stabilization and control cannot succeed, and it is certain that producers themselves can contribute materially to the efforts of the conferences if they will do their marketing in as normal a way as possible.

The whole situation as existing at present demands a frank and explicit assurance from the conferees represented—namely, that every possible effort will be made to maintain a live hog price commensurate with swine production costs and reasonable selling values in execution of the declared policy of the Food Administration to use every agency in its control to secure justice to the farmer.

The stabilization methods adopted for November represent the best efforts of the conference, concurred in by the Food Administration and the

Public Sale

I will sell at public auction two miles east and five south of Canyon on **November 30** at 1 o'clock, the following Property:

- 4 head of work mules, 1 span broke to work, coming 5 and 6' one 2 year old and one mule Colt.
- Three head of cattle—One No. 1 Jersey Milk cow and two calves.
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- Two Wagons—One new Bain Special and one low wagon, two sets of harness, one set single harness, two water tanks, one 40 bbl. and one 5 bbl., one hay frame.
- 50 R. I. Red Chickens, one new incubator.
- FEED—3 or 4 thousand bundles of maize and kaffir, well grain-ed, two ricks of headed kaffir with some grain on it.
- One 1917 Model Ford car and other articles.

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ferred classification for those whose labor is actually needed on farms, of such additional helpers as may be required to assist the agricultural adviser to the District Exemption Board, whose territory is now so large as to make it impossible for him properly to handle the cases which come before him.

8. The National Board of Farm Organizations urges all Agricultural Journals and newspapers printed in agricultural sections, to give the widest publicity to the proper procedure for making applications for furloughs or deferred classification of farm workers.

9. The National Board of Farm Organizations urges farmers in need of labor to make fullest use of trained boys whenever practicable, and to give the largest possible employment to women on the farm. To do so is an obligation.

Our duty to save the world from famine does not end with the war.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM T. CREASY,
Chairman National Board of Farm Organizations.

Measure of Food Flow

Comparative exports of six great groups of staple foods from the United States show a trend of conditions of unusual interest to American farmers. According to the U. S. Food Administration, exports of pork products during July, August and September of this year were more than 3 times as great as during the same months in 1917. Exports of beef and dairy products during the same period showed increases of nearly double the former amount. Comparative figures for the principle classes of food products follow:

Total exports for the following products during the months of July, August and September, given below in pounds:

	1917	1918
Beef prod.	93,962,477	171,986,147
Pork prod.	196,256,750	538,602,400
Dairy prod.	130,071,165	161,245,029
Veg. Oils	27,719,553	26,026,701
Sugar	1,108,559,519	1,065,398,247
Grains, bu.	66,383,084	121,668,823

5. The enactment and vigorous enforcement of anti-loafing laws in all states.

6. The granting of a one-cent railroad rate for farm labor traveling under the direction and control of the United States Employment Service.

7. The immediate appointment by the county authorities of every agricultural county, in order to secure de-

mounts and the United States must expect to supply these important nutrients for several years at least.

The chief limiting factors, in handling the huge quantities of food required for exports are transportation terminal and shipping facilities, and in the case of large market runs as fast as received. It is important for farmers to clearly understand that with large production there must be rational marketing if stabilized prices are to be maintained and waste avoided.

The part which conservation must play in the food program is likewise obvious. To provide by July 1, 1919 the 20 million tons of food for overseas shipment, a steady conservation in American homes is essential. This quantity of food is 75 per cent more than we shipped last year and must come from a harvest scarcely as large. In general there is a world market for all staple foods with an increasing demand for animal products.

Farmers of long vision will recognize that erratic prices, market gluts,

and local increase in reserves, must be of temporary character and that conservation, which enables the United States to fulfill its food pledges, means continued foreign trade in American farm products.

Business men figure a share in the Fowler holdings which sold at par for \$100 now brings \$15,000 at the same rate what should a share of \$100 be worth with the Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Co. of Lamess, Texas which owns one hundred times as much leases.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Etc.

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For a dozen years before the war labor came to our country at the rate of one million immigrants a year. That stream fed our expanding industries. The last twelve months only eighteen thousand immigrants arrived.

The government recently calculated in industries contributing to the war, a shortage of one million employees. While this shortage is mainly unskilled labor, it simply means that for years to come there is a place and an obligation for everyone of us to work.

In office work it means that this will continue women's field. With the expanding activities of the government and business generally, now that we have the assurance of peace, thousands more must qualify at once to fill new positions, as well as to fill the places of those who have been filling such positions temporarily during the period of the war.

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Bud Bennett shipped 19 head of the fattest cattle that have been shipped from here this season the first of the week.—Texhoma Times.

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WAYSIDE ITEMS

Some ice was formed here for several mornings the past week, but it is quite time for colder weather. The fall is unusually late. The days are shortening perceptibly.

For the second time the school at Plemons has been suspended for the "flu." Trustees closed it Tuesday morning. Both teachers returned to their homes. Miss Estella Clark returned to Cico, and Miss Grace Sluder to Wayside. Only a few cases and no fatalities.

Miss Ruth Walters was quite sick a few days with the "flu" after her return from Channing. No one caught it from her, that we know of.

W. J. Sluder bought the store building, belonging to O. H. Huxford at Vigo Park recently for \$725. He expects to move it soon.

"The Home Fire Tenders" the young peoples class in Wayside Sunday School taught by Mrs. W. I. Lane had pictures made of themselves last Sunday to send to the soldier boys overseas who once belonged to the same class. Each one of the class here are requested to write a Christmas letter to each one overseas and the pictures are to be sent at some time. How eagerly we watch and wait for their homecoming. May the kind Father give them all a safe return.

The War Work Campaign has fallen short of our quota at Wayside. However, we hope to get the balance in due time. Quite a number have paid in all they felt able while others are lagging in this, a patriotic duty. Each one is requested to give \$2.

SPECIAL THANKSGIVING ATTRACTION AT THE OLYMPIC THEATRE

The Olympic Theatre will offer as Thanksgiving special "The Kaisers Finish." This is surely an appropriate picture for this day. We have patiently waited four long years to see his finish. Well, here it is. This is a brand new picture made last week, and comes to us direct from an eight days' run in the finest theatre in Dallas, at 50c prices. Now, the most remarkable thing about this production is, that it was not only made by the people who gave My Four Years in Germany, but it has for the first time on a screen, the Kaiser and the Crown Prince themselves, not actors made up like them, but they absolutely appear themselves, and some very close up pictures are shown, so that you might study their face and expression. Herein lies the secret, but it is said they were obtained from a German traitor, but this makes no difference. We guarantee that they appear in person. Now on account of the great cost of this picture, and its being so new, that only two cities in Texas have yet seen it, it will be impossible for us to show this picture but for only one day, Thanksgiving Day, and we will have special matinee on same from 3 to 5 p. m. Also night show begins as usual, 7 p. m. Price at all show will be 10 and 25 cents, and we guarantee you a real treat.

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Fruit is bringing a good price, this year. What about your fruit trees? Are you giving them the proper care? Remember, it takes some time to build up an orchard, while a little neglect will quickly make one unprofitable. Fruit trees make splendid shade and every home should have a few fruit trees instead of so many shade trees. The old June apple tree, the pear and the peach tree are closely linked with the memories of childhood in many lives and your children have not really lived if deprived of such memories.

Who does not know of the Cedar Lake Petroleum and Gas Co. of Lamesa Texas.

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

Keep Your Money In Circulation

It is the height of folly to hoard up money in some secret hiding place. Money should be deposited in a bank where it will circulate through regular business channels.

It is only by keeping your money in circulation that it will do the most good. A checking or savings account at this bank will not only be helpful to you but will also be helpful to the country at large.

The proper circulation of money is what maintains the prosperity of the country. Your money will be perfectly safe if deposited in this bank. Call and let us explain the facilities of modern banking.

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Bundle feed, kaffir and sorghum, few bales alfalfa hay; will deliver.—John Knight. 29-1f

FOR SALE—Kaffir, Feterita and cane well headed. Get it cheap. While in the shock will deliver. C. A. Price. 32-4tp

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc-Jersey sow, and six pigs. Also a good 50 foot rubber hose. Phone 243. 34-2tp

KAFFIR Corn heads for sale.—Phone 154. T. R. R. Atkins. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile roadster in good running condition. Very low price.—G. W. Garrison, phone 28, 3 shorts, Happy, Texas.

FOR SALE—About 2,000 bundles of maize and a stack of raked feed, 3 miles south of town, on the Lair place.—S. J. Livingston. 34-2tp

FOR SALE—5 room house just papered throughout, quarter block, near church and school. Terms. Must sell at once at a bargain price. C. W. Warwick.

Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Two room house.—John Knight. 29-1f

FOR RENT—My home with 400 acres of grass and 300 acres of farming land with natural protection and running water, adjoining city of Ianyon. Would sell 20 head of Jersey cattle, 15 or 18 head of hogs. Also teams and tools.—W. E. Bates. 30-1f

STRAYED—A red calf brand Y on left jaw left Joe Bybee place week ago Friday. Notify M. L. Tucker, Canyon. 33-2tp

FOR RENT—One large furnished room. Phone 251. Mrs. Chas. Hartner. 34-1f

A SMALL bunch good cows to let out to right party on shares for one or two years.—T. E. Money. 34-1f

LOST—Two tires 31x4 on rim, between Canyon and Amarillo.—E. H. Powell. 34-2tc

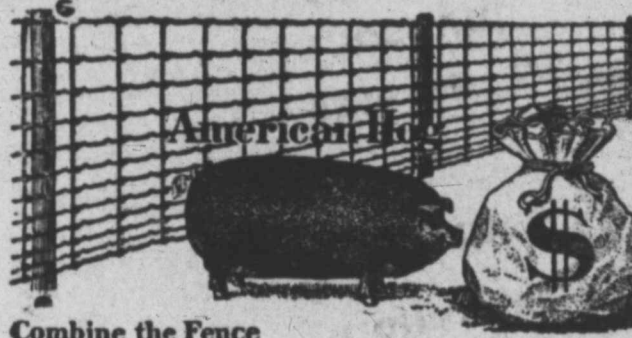
LOST—Brown sheepskin coat, medium length. Finder notify L. B. Minor, Canyon. 34-2tp

LOST—In or near Canyon, one .22 calibre Remington Repeating Rifle. A. A. Price, Canyon, Rte. 1, box 50. 34-1f

WANTED—To trade 3 residence lots 50 by 150, within two blocks of depot, Clarendon, Texas, for 2 good young mares, or horses. Write me at Canyon, or call at my residence 12 miles southeast of Canyon. Wade Willis. 34-2tp1f

Moving Cattle for Winter
L. A. Swigart left Tuesday morning for his ranch, north of Roswell, the company to which he belongs moving a lot of cattle from the ranch at Ft. Sumner to that ranch for the winter. —Garishad Current.

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