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SHALL CITY OF HEREFORD OWN THE LIGHT AND POWER PLANT

Mayor Wm. M. Knight Thinks This Is Next Progressive Step for This Growing Municipality, and Invites the Earnest Consideration and Discussion of the Taxpayers. The Brand Invites Discussion

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SEER FROM SEVILLE AND U. S. HARD TACK FOR MASKED PARTY

A real, professional Palmist—one of the kind that will make your hair stand right up on end—and thirty pieces of honest-to-goodness Government Hard Tack, will be two of the stellar attractions at a ghostly Halloween Mask Party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. George Barber next Tuesday night.

LOCAL RED CROSS CHAPTER IS IN TROUBLE OVER MEMBERSHIP

Life Memberships Cannot Be Used for War Relief Fund, as Originally Announced, and Local Life Members Are Asked to Accept Sustaining Memberships Instead.

The Deaf Smith county chapter of the A. R. C. has received the following letter which is of importance to members holding life membership: Washington, D. C., Oct. 15, 1917. Mrs. John W. Sherman, Treasurer Deaf Smith Chapter, A. R. C., Hereford, Texas. My Dear Mrs. Sherman: Your letter of October 3, addressed to H. W. McGraw, with enclosures, has been handed to this division for attention.

Our policy is to stand on their rights to a membership of a higher class. We remind them that their War Fund contributions have now passed into the War Fund, and that if they insist upon their rights to the higher class membership, the fees for such rights must under the rules, be taken from the War Fund, and placed in the Endowment Fund, thus diminishing the War Fund proportionately, and diminishing our war activities. But we can do more than suggest this to them.

COUNTY LACKS ONLY FEW MORE HUNDREDS TO RAISE QUOTA

Wednesday Was Inspiring Day in Hereford's History. Parade Was Magnificent. Rev. Thomson Flayed Germany in Masterly Argument. Choral Club Helps Cause at Night Meeting, and Red Cross Collects \$100.00.

LOCAL BOY CALLED AS EXPERT ENGINEER

Major Motter of the Twenty-third U. S. Engineers, with headquarters at Washington, last Saturday wired J. R. Rutherford of Hereford, stating that the telegram would be authority for any recruiting officer to enlist Mr. Rutherford as a member of the Twenty-third engineers, and to furnish transportation to Camp Meade, Md. Young Rutherford is a son of Mrs. J. T. Rutherford of Hereford. He studied engineering two years at the Agricultural & Mechanical College.

Up to time of going to press Friday official returns in the Second Liberty Loan Bond campaign for Deaf Smith county showed the actual amount pledged to be about \$7,000 short of the required \$131,500. A rumor Thursday afternoon that the county's quota had been heavily over-subscribed caused something of a let-up in the work, and the danger of a misunderstanding is still alarming. The rumor probably grew out of the number of promises made to take bonds. Expenses are not reimbursed by Uncle Sam, and only the signed applications, accompanied by the first cash payment are counted in the totals.

Late Again—but--

We believe the people will forgive us this time, when the fact is taken into consideration that we got out the Brand Extra Wednesday morning. This caused the delay. We believe it was worth while, and hope you will agree with us.

ADVERTISE FOR ONE SACK TWINE AND GETS TWO; THEN LOSES BOTH

It pays to advertise in The Hereford Brand! If you don't believe it, ask D. C. Laird. Mr. Laird advertised last week for a sack of binder twine which had dropped from his automobile. Saturday afternoon a man brought TWO sacks of binder twine to a local store, and left them for the man who advertised. Here was the Ad: LOST—Sack of binder twine between Harrison's elevator and Cardwell's Hog Farm. Finder please notify D. C. Laird.

There is still work to be done in reaching the quota amount needed, and if the county could over-fulfill the quota by several thousand dollars, what a glorious history it would be in the eyes of the county and the nation. The names of all those who subscribed to the bonds will be printed in next week's Brand, after they have been tabulated by Chairman Perry.

The parade Wednesday afternoon, and the meetings at the courthouse following the parade and at night were features in one of the greatest days in the history of Hereford and Deaf Smith county. The country people came in in large numbers, the streets closed during the afternoon, the parade was a triumph and a credit to those who worked so valiantly to make it a success; and what Rev. H. Thomson did to the Germans in his talk at the courthouse was a caution. At night the Choral Club, and Girls Glee, under the leadership of Miss Storking, rendered a superb program, while the Red Cross raised \$100 for the Cause by volunteer donation, and the Liberty Bonds were boosted upwards \$3700 worth. It was a tired but happy throng which went quietly to sleep after reaching home Wednesday night. But the day, while trying, had shown what organization and determination could do.

"Something Doing Every Minute"

MODEL IRRIGATION PLANT AND BRICK HOTEL IN PROSPECT

A model irrigation plant, installed within sight of the Santa Fe passenger station for the benefit of tourists, and a modern hotel of two stories and thirty rooms. The march of progress in Hereford continues unabated. B. L. McDonald has purchased the corner lot on Main street, next the railroad track, from L. Baskin, and material has been ordered for the erection of a brick office and warehouse 25x100 feet. Mr. McDonald will have his office in front, and will keep on hand machinery and material for the large number of pumping plants already ordered for this winter and spring. In addition, he will put in a well capable of pumping 2,000 gallons of water per minute in sight of the passenger trains, and will plant a plot of 40-25 feet in alfalfa in the rear of the office, watered from the well. The materials for this new building are expected to arrive within two weeks.

WHOLESALE HOUSE PLANNED FOR CITY

Plans are under consideration for the erection, on south Main street, of a brick and concrete wholesale and retail produce, feed and storage warehouse, 50x120 feet. No definite information has as yet been given out, but the promoters of the plan feel that Hereford's location and trade territory justify the establishment of such a business.

HEREFORD LAUNDRY'S NEW QUARTERS

The Hereford Laundry is rapidly putting the finishing touches on the new location, the old Renfro Garage. The structure is to be modern in every respect. The building has been placed in perfect condition, and the arrangements of the machinery and material will be unique in every particular.

NEW RESTAURANT ON MAIN STREET

C. F. Marchman of Cisco, Thursday afternoon opened the new Merchants' Restaurant in the Parker building next to Garrison Bros. Hardware store. Mr. Marchman is a restaurant man of experience, and has installed a modern, up-to-date restaurant.

MILLER HOTEL HAS NEW MANAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Weaver, and Mrs. Askren have taken over the management of the Miller Hotel, formerly run by Mrs. B. W. Miller.

A new electrician arrived in the home of Otto Buehl last Saturday. The recruit tipped the scales at an even ten pounds.

NEW MODERN HOTEL

Inspired with the steady growth of the county and city, Mr. Baskin is now having plans drawn for a modern, thirty-room, two-story brick hotel, to be built on the lot immediately north of the McDonald building. The size of the building will be 50x100 feet. It is Mr. Baskin's announced intention to build the lobby of this hotel, 50x90 feet, between now and spring, and to install therein a modern cafe, news stand, soda fountain, hotel office, telephone booths, land office, and a mechanical orchestra.

GREAT COUNTY DRIVE TO BE MADE FOR FOOD-SAVING CONSERVATION

County Food Administrator D. S. Jones Returns From Amarillo Meeting with Plans all Made to Enlist Aid of Every Home in Deaf Smith County. Dates Oct. 28, Nov. 4.

TELEGRAM Washington, D. C., Oct. 25, '17. J. S. Jones, County Food Administrator, Hereford, Texas. Homes united, food conserved, families enrolled, America invincible. Strike hard. Washington looks to you. HERBERT HOOVER.

plan of campaign will be as follows: The County will be broken off in twelve Districts, each district will be assigned to a certain number of workers; we will start to canvass on the first day of November and expect to finish the campaign in one day. You will find published in this issue a copy of the pledge card you are expected to sign. These cards will be retained by the workers and returned to me. The cards will be finally sent in to Washington, where each name will be registered and from time to time direct instructions will be sent to all who sign the pledge, and I am sure many of the instructions will be found valuable to the ladies of the household regardless of war conditions. After the splendid manner in which the people of Deaf Smith County have responded to the Call for the Second Liberty Loan, I am sure the mothers of this county are going to make a showing that we will be proud of. I want to say to the people that I have accepted the challenge of Dallas (Continued on page three)

Furniture Selling In Large Volume Our motto: "Quick Sales and Small Profits." We buy our Furniture from the Factory—Not from Jobbers, hence we are able to sell much cheaper than other dealers, as we cut out the big profit which jobbers make. We find it much more satisfactory to do a large volume of business on a small margin and keep things moving all the time. We are selling a Sealy Mattress \$10.00 cheaper than our neighboring towns sell them for. We price our famous Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets \$5.00 to \$10.00 each cheaper than they are sold in other places. We undersell others in Linoleum from 10c per yard to 25c per yard—because we bought before the big advance in price. All next week we will make a specialty in Dining Room and Living Room Furniture, Metal Beds, Bed Springs, Mattresses, Linoleum, Art Bugs, etc will be sold at attractive prices. We are satisfied with small profits. WE SELL IT FOR LESS E. B. Black Co. The Big Store With the Little Price

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SHALL CITY OWN POWER PLANT?

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of the interest on the investment in addition to the other charges. Where the people own their own lighting plant they receive interest on the investment in the service rendered and in the opportunity for lower rates if conditions permit.

If the City owned the Light and Power Plant then it could do its pumping with very little or no extra expense by arranging so as to do most of the pumping at a time when the power plant was not loaded with furnishing power for others.

If the City owned the Light & Power Plant it would probably be possible for it to do a great deal more street lighting than it is possible for it to do at present.

If the City owned the Light & Power Plant it would be possible for it to operate both utilities more efficiently because the volume of business produced by both plants would justify the employment of one first-class expert man to act as superintendent of both.

The consensus of the best opinions on the subject seems to be in favor of municipal ownership of the most of public utilities.

The franchise under which the Light & Power Plant is now operating was entered into on the 18th day of February, 1908. It provides that at the end of fifteen years after the franchise is accepted the City shall have the right to purchase the Light Plant, the price to be fixed by an Arbitration Committee of three members one of which is to be selected by the City, one by the owners of the Plant and the third is to be selected by the other two.

Of course if the present owner is unwilling to sell before the expiration of the fifteen year period a practical difficulty might be presented, but it is not believed that the present owners would refuse to sell to the City if it could be shown that a decided majority of the tax payers of the City were in favor of the City's taking over the Plant.

That the rates of light and power to consumers would certainly be reduced, cannot and is not put forward as a reason why the City ought to acquire the utility. It is probable that very few have sufficient information on this subject to venture an opinion at this time. It may be that the rates could not be reduced even if the plant was owned by the City and yet there are advantages that would accrue to the City directly and indirectly if it owned the Plant.

It may be said that there is no legal way to acquire the plant before the time specified in the franchise, unless the City would be willing to pay the owner's price. This may be true, but it is not likely that an unreasonable price would be demanded if a reasonable majority of the tax payers favored acquiring the plant.

As soon as the City has a population of five thousand (which cannot be far off) a legal way can be provided for valuing and acquiring the plant regardless of the time fixed by the franchise. But in the event the City could not agree with the owners on the value of the plant it would only have to wait until the date fixed in the franchise or until it had a population of five thousand people, or for further legislation, until it could acquire it.

It is thought that there are no serious difficulties in the way of financing the enterprise, no increase in the rate of taxation would be necessary. Arrangements could be made so that the earnings of the plant and water works could take care of the operation, maintenance and depreciation and also pay for the plant.

Whether it would be wise to try to acquire the plant in the immediate future, considering war conditions may be debatable, but surely it is wise for the people to be considering the enterprise and getting such information as prudent business men should necessarily have in order to pass on any question intelligently.

Yours very truly, Wm. M. KNIGHT Mayor.

RED CROSS IN TROUBLE

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bers. We are very unwilling to add to the burdens of the Treasurer, but you will realize how essential this information is.

W. A. FROST, American Red Cross War Fund Membership Division

The Executive Board has appointed Mrs. J. E. Ferguson and Mrs. F. T. Roloson to submit this letter to life members, and obtain their consent, if possible, to place their subscription in the War Relief Fund to be used for immediate relief work.

The pressing need of war relief work at this time is great and every effort to secure funds for this work is being made, as 25 per cent of all War Relief Funds raised by this chapter remains in the chapter treasury to be used by the local committees for different lines of work, such as hospital supplies, patients' clothing and surgical dressing, you will readily see the reason for asking the life members to allow their subscription to be turned to War Relief Fund—thus helping the local chapter as well as the War Board.

There are 91 life members in the local chapter, with a subscription totaling \$2275.00, and six patron members with a subscription of \$600.00. This matter must be adjusted by November 1, 1917, and the committee in charge ask you to report to them before that date if you desire to hold your life membership.

ANNOUNCEMENTS The Executive Board will meet Monday evening, October 29, at 7:30 in the Ladies' Rest Room at the courthouse.

The First Aid Class, under the direction of Dr. W. F. Gabbert, will meet as usual Monday evening, October 29th, in the Red Cross Headquarters at the Court house.

The Surgical Dressing Class will meet for work in their room at the court house Tuesday and Friday of each week, both morning and afternoon.

The members of the Bay View Club will meet at the Red Cross Headquarters Thursday afternoon, November 1, at 2 o'clock.

The call-meeting of the Deaf Smith County chapter of the A. R. C. at the District Court room Wednesday afternoon was well attended and after the routine business and adoption of the regulation by-laws the Executive Board for the ensuing year was elected as follows: G. A. F. Parker, D. L. McDonald, Jno. W. Sherman, Dr. W. F. Gabbert, Rev. W. M. Baker, R. T. Ryants, D. C. Laird, Henry Wilkinson, A. S. Fuqua, E. B. Black, Seth J. B. Holman, W. E. Dameron, Carl Gilliland.

The ex-officio members were elected as follows: Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, Vice Chairman. F. T. Roloson, Secretary. C. C. Chenoweth, Treasurer. Mrs. A. L. Gibson, Chairman of Surgical Dressing.

The Red Cross official buttons have been sent to the local chapter and each member of whatever class is entitled to wear one. They are to be given to members and can be obtained at Headquarters any afternoon.

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STATUS LIBERTY BOND

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do in presenting a united front in the hour of emergency.

THE PARADE

The Hereford Band, led by George Brockhahn, headed the procession, beginning at the north end of the pavement on Main, followed by the three members of the city commission, Civil War Veterans, both Boy Scouts, and Union. They then the class of the Red Cross, the Liberty Girls a long line of school children, and the entire body of school children, and the band.

AT THE COURTHOUSE

After traversing Main the procession proceeded to the District Courtroom in the Courthouse, where the stage was set for Rev. Thomsen's speech. Back of the speakers' stand tiers of seats had been arranged, on which were grouped the Liberty Girls, the Surgical Dressing Class, choir singers from all the churches, and volunteers from the audience. The band took station to the left and rendered a martial air to begin things with.

The speaker complimented the city on the size of the audience, saying it was the best and most representative he had yet faced in this campaign. He gave two reasons why we were in this war, first, because we were on the defensive and either had to submit and admit we were cowards or fight; secondly, he compared Germany to a big bully, who jumped on poor little Belgium, who challenged the peace and security of the world, and it was simply a case of chastizing the bully and restoring order and democratic government to the world or else submit to a world autocratic rule.

He quoted eminent authorities on the self-centered and domineering view point of Germany as a world-nation, and then amused the crowd very much by tracing his own emotions throughout the events leading up to the present wherein he said he would get mad when news would come of some atrocious act of brutality or treachery on the part of Germany, how he would then remind himself that he was a Minister of the Gospel and should not bear malice, was against war, etc. and would cool off. Then another news story would excite him and he would cool off again. Finally said the speaker: "I decided to get mad and stay mad."

Rev. Thomsen gave a brief history of the organization of the German government, tending to show that they had been a war-loving and war-provoking nation even before the time of Caesar, and declared that their attitude today showed that they had not changed in nature one whit from those ancient days. He exploded the idea that England was an autocracy like Germany by showing that the English states are bound together in a real democracy, while the German states are dominated and overawed by Prussia. He declared the German education was based on skill, knowledge and power, without character, and therefore all the more dangerous. He even declared that the German preachers proclaimed the doctrine of the "good old German God" and instilled into the people the idea that God was for Germany and against all the rest of mankind.

He related talks with returned English officers and other in regard to cruelties practiced by the Germans in the war, all tending to show the barbarous methods, used and medieval ideas possessed in regard to war by the Prussian soldiery. He emphasized the fact that he did not believe things of all the German peoples, but that it had been proven of the Russians alone. That was the overbearing, dominating element in the German Empire that was causing all the trouble.

The speaker paid stinging compliments to Senator LaFollette and other advocates of peace at this time, and said it was only men like the Senator referred to, slackers, traitors, to their country, and German sympa-

thizers who talked peace at this time.

He ended in an eloquent outburst, during which he declared that "the war was made in Germany but Peace would be made in the United States."

Following the magnificent address of Rev. Thomsen the Band played a selection, the audience sang a patriotic hymn, and Chairman Gilliland opened the meeting for donations to Liberty Bonds. The result totaled \$16,950.

At the night meeting after a song by the Choral Club, a collection for the Red Cross was taken, amounting to \$100. Mr. G. A. F. Parker, Rev. Baker, Carl Gilliland, and others made speeches. Rev. McClurkin delivered an appeal for Liberty bonds, and a total of \$3700 was added to the fund. The program closed with the Star Spangled Banner.

The musical program presented by the Choral Club and Children's chorus follows:

- 1. "America"
2. (a) "Marseilles"
(b) "Rule Britannia"
3. "The Old Flag Never Touched the Ground"—Children's chorus.
4. "Loyalty is the Word Today"—Miss Jane Gregg.
5. (a) "Maple Leaf Flower"
(b) "Go Forward"—Children's Chorus.
6. "Hoe, Hoe, Hoe"—Children's Chorus.
7. Selected—Messrs. Curtis, Betts, Grouch, Forrest Walker.
8. "Smile, Smile, Smile"—Chorus.
9. Marching Song.
10. "Star Spangled Banner".

FARM WEEDS

The value of water has increased in the arid lands of the West with the development of the country to a point where there is now a general demand for accurate devices for the measurement of small streams of flowing water. A "weir" is one of the most commonly used devices for this purpose.

and, in Farmers' Bulletin 813, specialists in the United States Department of Agriculture discuss the construction and use of these devices. The kinds of weir described in the bulletin are the rectangular, the Cipolletti, and the 90 degree triangular notch types, with free fall, sharp crests and full contractions. Discharge formulas for these types are given in the back of the bulletin. These tables are so arranged that if the "head" or depth of water flowing over the weir notch is known the flow by cubic feet per second can be readily ascertained. A table of hydraulic equivalent enables this flow to be changed into miner's inches or statute inches.

NEW SERIES OF GRAIN REPORTS

Representatives of the grain and hay division of the Bureau of Markets of the United States Department of Agriculture have left for the field. The organization of this division is being completed and a series of final conference of field workers has been conducted in Washington. The Bureau of Markets will issue, through its organization, semi-monthly market reports on grain and hay. Headquarters of the North Atlantic Division, at Atlanta, and the Southwestern division at Oklahoma City, will be in operation by October 12 or 13.

Save the Scraps of Fat; They Help in the War More Than You Think

We are the greatest fat wasters in the world. We habitually waste fat in the kitchen and on the table, in hotels, restaurants, and homes. We need to save fat and pork prod-

ucts for our allies. We use fat in countless ways in the manufacture of things needed to win the war. Therefore, as a nation, we can not afford to go on wasting, even if we are willing to be extravagant personally.

If every American saved one-third of an ounce of fat wasted daily, a quantity equivalent to one of the butter balls or pats of butter that we serve at a meal, it would amount to 395,000 tons in a year—an important saving in the present emergency.—Food Administration.

Aid to War Industries Board

At the request of the war industries board of the Council of National Defense, Secretary of the Treasury of the Treasury McAdoo has released Eugene Meyer, Jr., of New York, from active work on the war loan savings certificate committee. Mr. Meyer will take charge of the work in the raw materials division of the war industries board in so far as it concerns copper, lead, zinc, nickel, silver, antimony, and aluminum.

Enlistments in the Navy

Total enlisted men Oct. 17 ...145,925
Net gain Oct. 18 121

Total enlisted men Oct. 18 146,044

The American vice consul at Almeria, Spain, cables that approximately 300,000 barrels of grapes await shipment to the United States and England.

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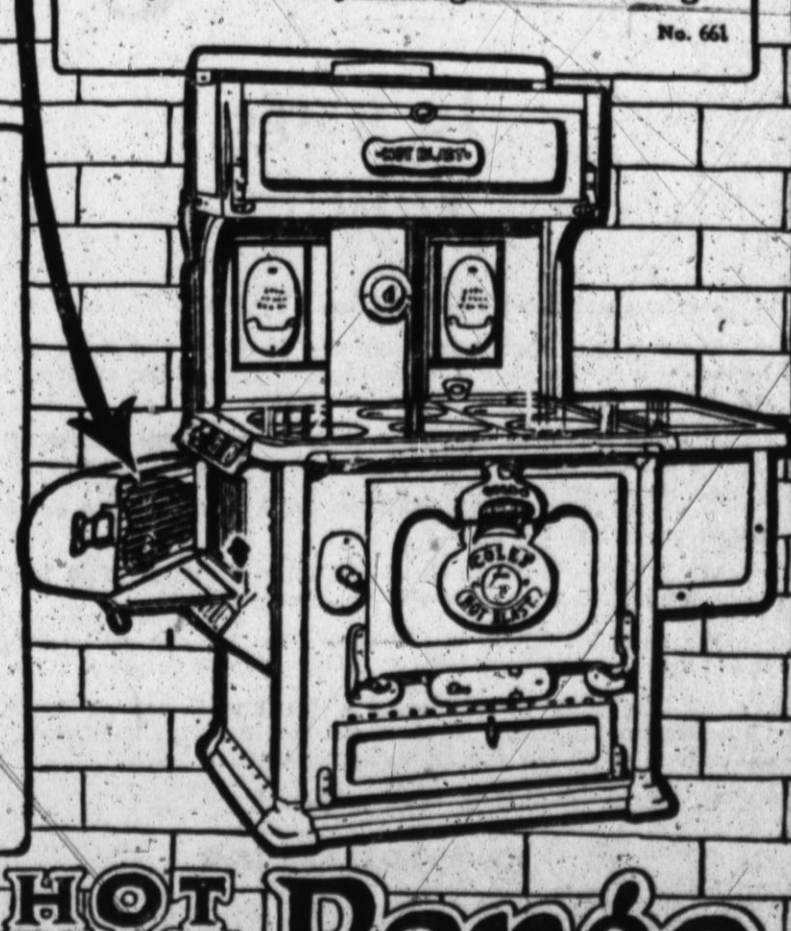
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CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Hastings entertained Saturday evening with a "42" party. The young people gathered at an early hour and spent a very pleasant and enjoyable evening. Messrs. Patton and Shepard favored the company with a number of piano selections. Those present were: Misses Dillie Whitaker, Bertha Johnson, Essie Gillespie, Grace Robertson, Ola Parks, Frankie Kerr, Dora and Ruby Bell, and Argetha Lovelace, Messrs. Shepard, Patton, McDonald, Jim Webb, Bill Webb, Alexander, and Hastings.

Quite a number of Dimmitt young people attended the revival services at Spring Lake Wednesday. The meeting is being conducted by Rev. Reynolds of the Church of Christ. Those who attended were: Misses Addie Hodges, Nonnane Waldrip, Grace Robertson, Bonnie McPherson, Messrs. Patton, Ramey, Elliott and Wallace.

A painful but not serious accident occurred last Tuesday when a vicious yearling attacked Mr. Annan, of the Nazareth community. The calf butted him over, stepping on his face and knocking out three teeth. He was rushed to Hereford for medical attention and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. John P. McDaniels, one of our foremost and most successful farmers left Wednesday for Colorado, where he will make his home. While we regret very much to see Mr. McDaniels leave us, we wish him the best success possible in his new home.

Mr. W. L. Pickett has resigned his position as assistant cashier at the First State Bank, and has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Dimmitt Hardware. Mr. Joe Hastings succeeds him at the bank.

Messrs. Downs and Love, prominent real estate men of Lockney, were busy

ness visitors in Dimmitt last week. They expressed themselves as being very much pleased with the Dimmitt country.

Mr. M. C. Covert has purchased the Bell home and is overhauling and renovating it. When complete Mr. Covert's home will be one of the most comfortable and modern in Castro county.

Mr. J. W. Hamm, of ten mile south of Dimmitt, shipped two cartloads of hogs to Wichita, Kansas last week. His bunch topped the market, bringing 80 more than any other bunch.

Dr. C. J. Stanley made a business trip to Hereford Monday.

Judge B. D. Woodlee is visiting the schools in Castro and Bailey counties this week.

Dimmitt is to have a new church shortly. The Nonprogressive Christians recently organized and began at once to raise funds for building. At present something over \$300 has been subscribed besides the lots on which it is to build.

E. S. Ireland has been appointed food administrator for Castro county. He went to Amarillo last week to receive instructions regarding his work.

Castro's pro rata share of the Second Liberty Loan of 1917 is \$17,712.00. Up to date only a little less than \$7,000.00 has been subscribed. We do not attribute this to our lack of patriotic citizenship but rather to the fact that so many of our citizens live nearer other towns than Dimmitt and consequently buy their bonds at other places.

The freeze of Wednesday night damaged to some extent the feed-stuff.

ask him for a card and for the booklets he has for distribution. Let all in this county join with him in making a real success of this great food conservation campaign.

Houston, Texas, October 17, 1917.

TO THE EDITORS OF TEXAS:

Correcting an erroneous impression which grew out of a statement issued by the Federal Food Administrator on Monday with regard to the industries and business enterprises affected by the Food Control Bill, E. A. Peden, Federal Food Administrator for Texas wishes it to be generally understood that the only industries handling the 20 fundamental staples to be affected by the bill at this time are those industries doing a business in excess of \$100,000.00 per year. Through a hasty interpretation of the Food Control Act, the Food Administrator was at first in doubt as to whether this act affected all industries handling the staples, both large and small. He finds however, upon an examination and an analysis of the proclamation issued by the President that the Food Law, with regard to licensing, embraces all concerns which have been accused of controlling the markets in the food staples. The President has power to extend the regulation, but at the present moment the minimum is \$100,000.00 per year. Among those exempted from the regulation are packers and distributors of beef, pork, and mutton, whose gross sales do not exceed \$100,000.00 per year, and the operators of poultry and egg packing plants, whose sales do not exceed \$50,000.00 per year.

The regulations do not affect farmers, gardeners, or co-operative associations of gardeners, including live stock farmers, and other persons with respect to the production of any farm or other land owned or leased by them. These exemptions were made by Congress.

Food Administrator Hoover has started the organization of the machinery which will be used to enforce the rules, and will be prepared to take complete control on November 1, by which time licenses must be obtained from the Food Administration.

Drastic powers are given to the President in the Food Control Act. Under its provisions, if willful hoarding of essentials is discovered, he may confiscate the foods involved, and have them disposed of by the Courts. Such hoarding also is punishable by a fine of \$5,000.00 or two years' imprisonment, or both. A comprehensive list of the extent of the control, exercised is given by this excerpt from Section 5 of the Food Law.

"Whenever the President shall find that any storage charge, commission, profit or practice, or unreasonable, or discriminating and unfair, or wasteful, and shall order such license, within a reasonable time fixed in the order, to discontinue the same; unless such order, which shall recite the facts found, is revoked or suspended, such license shall, within the time prescribed in the order, discontinue such unjust, unreasonable, discriminating, and unfair storage charge, commission, profit or practice.

The President may, in lieu of any such unjust, unreasonable, discriminatory, and unfair storage charge, commission, profit, or practice, find what is a just, reasonable, non-discriminatory, and fair storage charge, commission, profit or practice, and in any proceeding brought in any Court such order of the President shall be prima facie evidence."

The law further provides that any person or firm which does business without a license, or after a license has been revoked, shall on conviction thereof be punished by a fine of \$5,000, or two years in prison or both.

The method provided for the seizure of hoarded goods in condemnation in any District Court of the United States within the District where the goods are found. Conspiracy on the part of dealers to defeat the purpose of the food control law is made punishable by fine of \$10,000.00, or two years' imprisonment, or both.

The twenty fundamental staples enumerated in the President's Proclamation with exceptions and reservations as to the operation of industries

- below the minimum of \$100,000.00 are as follows:
- Wheat, wheat flour, rye, or rye flour, barley, or barley flour.
- Oats, oatmeal, or rolled oats.
- Corn, corn grits, cornmeal, hominy, corn flour, starch from corn, corn oil, corn syrup and glucose.
- Rice, rice flour.
- Dried Beans.
- Pea seed, or dried peas.
- Cottonseed, cottonseed oil, or cottonseed cake, or cottonseed meal, peanut oil or peanut meal.
- Soya bean oil, soya bean meal, palm oil or corn oil.
- Oleomargarine, lard, lard substitute, also oil or cooking fats.
- Milk, butter or cheese.
- Condensed, evaporated or powdered milk.
- Fresh, canned or cured beef, pork or mutton.
- Poultry or eggs.
- Fresh or frozen fish.
- Fresh fruits or vegetables.
- Canned peas, dried beans, tomatoes, corn, salmon or sardines.
- Dried prunes, apples, peaches or raisins.
- Sugar, syrups or molasses.

EXCEPTING, HOWEVER

- (1) Operators of elevators or warehouses handling wheat or rye, and any manufacturers, of the derivative products of wheat or rye, who have already been licensed.
- (2) Operators, manufacturers, and refiners of sugar, and manufacturers of sugar, syrups and molasses, who have already been licensed.
- (3) Retailers whose gross sales of food commodities do not exceed \$100,000.00 per annum.
- (4) Common carriers.
- (5) Farmers, gardeners, co-operative associations of farmers and other persons with respect to the products of any farm, garden or other land owned, leased or cultivated by them.
- (6) Fishermen whose business does not extend beyond primary disposition.
- (7) Those dealing in any of the above commodities in any exchange, board of trade, or similar institution, as defined by Section 13 of the Act of August 10, 1917, to the extent of their dealings on such board of trade or exchange.
- (8) Miners of corn, oats, barley, wheat, rye or rice, operating only plants of a daily capacity of less than seventy-five barrels.
- (9) Canners of peas, dried beans, corn, tomatoes, salmon, or sardines, whose gross production does not exceed 5,000 cases per annum.
- (10) Persons slaughtering, packing and distributing fresh, frozen, or cured beef, pork or mutton, whose gross sales of such commodities do not exceed \$100,000.00 per annum.
- (11) Operators of poultry or egg packing plants, whose gross sales do not exceed \$50,000.00 per annum.
- (12) Manufacturers of maple syrup, maple sugar, and maple compounds.
- (13) Shippers, buyers, agents, dealers, or other handlers of cotton seed who handle yearly between September 1st and August 31, less than 100 tons of cottonseed.

Are hereby required to secure on or before November 1, 1917, a license, which license will be issued under such rules and regulation governing the conduct of the business as may be prescribed.

Applications for license must be made to the United States Food Administration, Washington, D. C., Law Department, License Division, on form prepared by it for that purpose, which may be secured on request.

Any person, firm, corporation or association other than those heretofore specified, who shall engage in or carry on any business heretofore specified after November 1, 1917, without first securing such license, will be liable to a penalty prescribed by said Act of Congress.

All applications for licenses are not to be addressed to the Texas Food Administrator for Texas.

By to, License Division, Law Department, Food Administration, Washington, D. C. E. A. PEDEN, Federal Food Administrator for Texas.

23 YEARS ON PLAINS: TO LIVE ON FLORIDA FRUIT THIS WINTER

"I have spent 23 years on the Plains, dodging droughts, high winds and Northers, and incidentally enjoying good health and prosperity. And I have decided—it is about time I was taking a vacation," said J. N. James of Mulshoe, who was in Hereford, Monday.

Mr. James has sold his cattle and leased his big ranch to W. L. Elwood of Lubbock, and with Mrs. James and child will leave for Florida about November 1.

"I intend to take a complete rest for the winter," said Mr. James. "If I don't spend some of what I have accumulated somebody else will, so I am going to enjoy it. You know, I must die some of these days."

After looking over the Florida landscape Mr. James proposes to rent a house and settle down for the winter months, and "live on fruit," as he expressed it.

NEW MUSIC TEACHER IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Miss Julia M. Traver, from the Moody Training School of Chicago, began her new duties as teacher of music in the Hereford Public Schools last Monday morning. Miss Traver devotes three days of her time to the grammar grades and two days to the high school classes. The course includes all the rudiments of vocal music.

Miss Traver was secured through the efforts of the Parent-Teachers' Association, who are ever on the lookout for everything that will tend to improve the training of the little folks of the city.

Son, a pretty good rule to adopt is this: Your friends would much rather brag about you than make excuses for you.

JURORS ANNOUNCED NEXT TERM COURT

Grand Jurors to Report to Judge Tatum, Oct. 29, and Petit Jurors as Called.

The Sixty-Ninth District Grand Jury for the term beginning October 29, has been announced as follows: R. L. Scott, H. G. Green, Leo Wolf, George Bipus, E. R. Road, R. W. Baird, D. L. Rutter, G. B. Combs, C. C. Dickison, G. T. McClain, J. N. Messenger, R. F. Rogers, J. C. Pollock, J. C. Coker, C. C. Bowman, and R. H. Barnett.

Out of these sixteen men twelve will be selected to inquire into the matters which may be submitted to them by District Judge Reese Tatum.

The list of Petit Jurors for the October term of the District Court are: H. A. Gray, E. A. Johnson, H. L. R. Beaman, John Brownlee, C. H. Abbott, H. R. Neal, J. C. Allard, J. D. Burkett, Ernest Brown, J. M. Chapman, A. D. Higgins, A. C. Cummins, E. M. Cox, W. S. Patton, H. H. Hicks, H. Hawkins, W. A. Daniels, Dan Hoar, J. W. Brady, A. R. Short, G. W. Brumby, W. B. Dally, E. H. Brandt, E. L. Tiffin, W. W. Curry, J. D. R. Grimmon, Geo. G. Ginn, W. L. Jones, F. W. Curtis, R. H. Hammer, Chas. Hodges, H. H. Boardman, Geo. J. Barber, Oscar Christwell.

Third week, Nov. 12, 1917.

John Burch, W. T. Womble, A. Fulmer, W. C. Sain, J. V. Rude, C. A. Rutledge, C. J. Padlock, G. R. Conkling, C. Reiter, E. L. Hiest, Ernest Houdstra, J. W. Robinson, H. G. Cook, Wright, Burr, Francis, A. L. Gibson, E. Connel, R. C. Bridges, W. F. Diebel, C. F. Hughes, Frank Corn, S. B. Edwards, B. R. Jennings, W. E. Hicks, Lester Bailey, J. B. Ellison, G. H. Jewell, H. L. Broadwell, O. Lee, W. M. Connel, L. M. Forster, T. E. Mousa, J. J. Buckner, R. W. Carroll, C. C. Slaughter, C. P. Cockrell, L. W. Hough.

Fourth week, Nov. 19th, 1917.

Albert Murphy, L. Baskin, L. A. Arnold, E. C. Harris, R. E. Dyer, W. G. Hill, John Patton, A. Frye, W. Strothman, T. A. Cox, J. C. Carroll, A. C. Thompson, C. R. Phillips, R. J. Baker, R. A. Brandt, P. A. Farshaw, W. R. Higgins, C. D. Watkins, Chas. Donald, Geo. Garrison, J. W. Cox, J. B. McCard, J. H. Powers, W. D. Dequorest, L. H. Shore, E. L. Downey, Frank Ball, Claude Higgins, J. B. Collins, H. T. Wedel, M. E. McSpadden, E. G. Gottingham, J. C. Harlan, J. H. Phelan, N. C. Vogler, F. R. Hirshey.

Hereford, Texas, Oct. 25, 1917. Mr. Seth B. Hodman, Hereford, Texas.

"Dear Sir: Through the 'Brand' I wish to thank the people of Hereford and Deaf Smith County for the help rendered in getting up the parade on Liberty Day."

First, I wish to thank the management of the Hereford Brand for the splendid help given by them, the people of this town and county should feel proud of the manner in which you have responded and in the name of the County Council of Deaf Smith County we tender you our thanks.

Also in the name of the Council of Deaf Smith County I wish to thank Prof. Fritsch and all the teachers of the schools for the splendid showing of the schools in the parade, also Mrs. Charles Pratt and Miss Galtner for the units that they so kindly furnished; and also I wish to thank the Red Cross management for their help in furnishing their unit in the parade, also the band boys and the men of the town who so kindly marched in the parade, and also to the patriotic spirit of Mrs. Tom Carter in the line-up of the kindergarten class. To all participants we wish to say you have done yourself, your county and state, and your country, proud.

Again, thanking one and all we remain, Deaf Smith Council of Defense, By J. S. Jones, Sec'y.

EXPLAINS PLANS OF HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Work is Progressing According to Definite System—Aid Granted Some Counties

The following statement relative to the work that is being done by the commission has been given out by Curtis Hancock, chairman of the State Highway Commission:

"The State Highway Commission is not working without a plan. It has adopted a system of State-designated highways comprising 9,000 miles or more. There are about twenty-six trans-State roads that begin somewhere and go somewhere. They have been numbered as to relative importance as the judgment of the commission dictated.

"Road No. 1, known as the Texas-Kansas-El Paso highway begins at Texarkana, passes thru Greenville, Dallas, Fort Worth, Mineral Wells and Abilene, following the Texas & Pacific to El Paso. No. 2 is the great meridian road, which begins at the State line in Wichita County, thence running through Wichita Falls, Henrietta, Decatur, Fort Worth, Cleburne, Meridian and Waco. At Waco it branches, one road going through Temple, Taylor, Austin and San Antonio to Laredo. The other branch takes a southeastern course and goes through Houston to Galveston. The other twenty-four main roads begin at the State line at different points and traverse the State, reaching nearly

all of the commercial centers. These centers, such as Dallas, Fort Worth, Corsicana, Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Houston, Amarillo and San Angelo, have many highways radiating from them, as the map of tentative designation will show.

"It has been and is the policy of the commission to work off and inspect these highways in the order of their relative importance. We have accordingly inspected most of the meridian road. Upon these inspections we have so arranged our itineraries that we could visit the county seats and urge upon the Commissioners' Courts the importance of providing the funds necessary to meet the requirements for State and Federal aid through the Highway Department.

Appropriations to Counties

"As a result of these visits on highway No. 1 we have succeeded in getting applications from certain counties and have made appropriations for them as follows: Cuberson \$48,650, Ward \$33,000, Mitchell \$23,250, Taylor \$20,000, Shackelford \$22,000, Parker \$17,500, Dallas \$40,000, Hopkins \$50,000. In many of the counties on this line the road is practically completed, and in the other counties bond issues are pending or efforts are being made to arouse sentiment in favor of issuing bonds for good roads.

"On the meridian highway Wichita County has been given an appropriation of \$44,000, Johnson \$50,000, Bosque \$60,000, McLennan \$30,000, Wilbourn \$50,000, Travis \$12,500, Hays \$30,200, Webb \$8,150. The immediate counties are also being urged to make applications so that the road may be completed as a whole. Other counties that are ready to have their funds available and are anxious to complete their roads and which have made application have also been granted aid. They are Brooks County \$25,000, Lee \$20,200, Navarro \$50,000, Gregg \$15,000. A bridge in Washington and Waller Counties across the Brazos River on road No. 20 between Hous-

ton and Austin has been authorized and an appropriation of \$30,000 has been made for it.

"There are other applications for State and Federal aid pending, but appropriations have not been made for various reasons. The Highway Commission is working toward a plan, and it hopes that all kindred organizations interested in highway developments will co-operate with it."

Indiana Fuel Administrator

The United States Fuel Administration today announced the appointment of Evans Woolen, of Indianapolis, as fuel administrator for Indiana.

FILL THE SILO TO CAPACITY

Use of sufficient labor for making thorough packing fills the silo to its rated capacity and for the same time prevents spoilage of ensilage around air pockets. A silo carefully packed will hold much more than one commonly packed. In a silo over 12 feet in diameter it may be found profitable to keep two men or two or three boys busy at the pack.

CAREFUL THRESHING PAYS

A Nebraska farmer, dissatisfied last fall with the 900-bushel return from 32 acres of wheat, at odd times during the winter ran the straw through the separator a second time. He obtained 75 bushels which sold for \$187.50. There had been a waste of 9.2 per cent of his crop. Careful threshing pays.

REMEDY FOR HOG WORMS

HOGS become infested with worms by taking them up with food or drink. Hence, well-drained, clean lots reduce the chances for them to become infested. It is best to keep a grid worm preventive before them at all times. Any tested commercial remedy may be used, but the following preparation is very successful: air-slacked lime, 2 parts; salt, 2 parts; charcoal, 2 parts; and pulverized copras, 1 part. This is recommended by the Nebraska Experiment station.

Where the herd is badly infested, use for every 100 pounds of shotes 8 grains antonia and 6 grains calomet thoroly mixed with a thin slop. Let the shotes miss a feed in the evening, and give them a treatment in place of the regular feed the following morning. If necessary, repeat it one week.

NOTICE

The law requires all motor vehicles to be equipped with two white lights in front and one red light in the rear, visible five hundred feet. The white light must not be capable of producing a dazzling light or glare.

The speed limit is fifteen miles per hour in the business part of town and eighteen miles at other places.

The use of muffler cut-outs is prohibited. Sounding a horn or gong except to give a necessary warning of danger is prohibited. Leaving a car unattended with the motor running is prohibited.

32-11. R. P. BRAZIL, City Marshal.

To the Ladies of Hereford:

You are extended a most cordial invitation to call on us and inspect our new Fall line of Suits, Coats, Blouses, Petticoats, Camisoles, Fancy Dress Skirts, Hats, Veils and Laces.

Complete line of Fancy Silks and Woolen Dress Goods. The opportunity of making your acquaintance—saying "How do you do" to you if nothing else, will be welcomed. Jot down our address in your memo pad—NOW—while you think of it.

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Hens don't stop scratching because worms are scarce.

Incidentally, it is not too early to begin saving for Christmas.

Another good thing about winter, sport shirts are not wearable.

Meanless days will be nothing new in many wage earner's homes.

Don't bank on that "souful expression." It may just be plain laziness.

Some men act as tho they thought their wives were as blind as policemen.

For the good of our own home town, for your own good, buy at home.

Of course your husband may be bad, but suppose you had married a domestic efficiency expert.

What has become of the old-fashioned girl who always made sure her skirt covered her ankles?

Most of the men who are always shouting about personal liberty use it to make fools of themselves.

An expert says dairymen need better bookkeeping. A little more milk and a little less water also might help.

It is stated that the Russian soldiers receive only one cent a day for their services. And yet we wonder at their lack of enthusiasm.

J. Spratt and wife should have no trouble in dividing the meat rations these days.

What's the matter with living on "garden sass" for a while now?

We are told the Russians are the most remarkable linguists in the world, and after listening to their lingo for a short time we believe every word of it.

Was there, or was there not, a man named Villa who cut some ice in Mexico in years gone by?

If the faithful old farm horse could express his view of this war, it would likely contain a strong protest against the amateur drivers that have been wished on him lately.

Just how is the politician to collect the soldier vote, and it on the other side? Will he go over there to electioneer? That might be a good solution of the candidate question in a good many instances.

The Kaiser should worry about that reward for an American soldier. We'll miss our guess if they are not plentiful on the streets of Berlin before many months have passed.

The government is threatening to put a stop to the slaughter of young lambs. Similar action in the case of calves would be of benefit. The same might be said of the frying chicken, but it is doubtful if the people would stand for that, and then the farmer is not worrying over dollar-a-dozen eggs, anyway.

Some congressmen are planning a trip to the battle-front this fall, and doubtless there are those among their constituents who would prefer for them to stay there.

It is suspected that Gen. Haig is seeking to make each of his "offensives" true to the term.

It isn't Russia's unwillingness to fight that distresses the Allies. It's her inability to distinguish between friends and foes.

If the government really wants shoes for its soldiers, it might investigate that report of 1,500,000 hides in storage awaiting higher prices.

Russia may have let that German army into Riga merely as an experiment in cold storage.

The coal operators, after conceding that coal can be sold at the established prices, seem inclined to put it up to Mr. Garfield to demonstrate that it can be mined at those figures.

What has become of the statement who sneered at the silver dollar as "cheap money"?

After this war is ended, the title "Colonel" will no longer stamp a man as necessarily from Kentucky.

Many people are beginning to wonder if the government price fixing commission has lost sight of the consumer's point of view.

Many a boy who was pronounced "the picture of his dad" has been known to overcome that handicap.

Many a man will advance a little recently acquired knowledge of a mule as an excuse why he should be drafted for the agricultural brigade.

Meanwhile Uncle Sam pleasantly but firmly insists that Holland must keep her back door closed if she expects us to pass anything in at the front.

A. I. Gibson, Historian, Executive Board was named by chairman, Mesdames Laird, P. W. Price, Potts, Palmer and Miss Belle Woodburn. A gold thimble was presented to the President as a small token of appreciation for her past year's service. A social hour followed the close of the business session. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Potts, Rayzor, Spratt and Shirley.

Mrs. P. W. Price had a number of ladies in for a game of Bridge Tuesday afternoon. At the close of the games Mrs. Oscar Cardwell was awarded a prize for high score, Miss Oberthier progression, and Miss Julia Roberts served sandwiches and hot grape juice cocktail.

Mothers' Club has Business Meeting
The Mothers' Club held their business meeting with Mrs. Sperm Williams, Tuesday, Oct. 23rd. A vote of thanks was given to the young lady who so kindly cleaned the Ladies' Rest Room for the Club. Two new members were taken in. After the business was disposed of the meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. T. M. Palmer in an all-day session to sew for the Red Cross. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

C. W. B. M. Program
Nov. 7, 1917
Subject: Mohammed in Africa.
Hostess—Mrs. Ferguson
Leader—Mrs. Guthrie
Opening Hymn—Ho! Reapers of Life's Harvest.
Circle Prayer, Topic: That Christians may become adequately informed as to the terrible advance of Mohammedanism and may unflinchingly rise to meet it in the name of Christ.
Virola Selection—The Ninety and Nine.
The Mohammedan Menace—Mrs. Hill.
Circle Reading—Mohammed in Africa.
Reading: Why I Spoke in Public—Mrs. Kibbe.
The Kansas City Convention—Mrs. Elliott.
Circle Prayer for the Triumph of Right and the Speedy Close of the World War.
Benediction.
Members are requested to bring September Tiding in order to join in the Circle reading.

Christian Endeavor October 28
Topic: Ministering to Christ.
Scripture: Matthew 25:31-46.
Leader—Linnje Wilson.
1. Song and prayer service.
2. Scripture reading by the leader.
3. A Church in Prison (Acts 16:25-34)—William Walpool.
4. Prison Work (Acts 12:1-10)—Ruth Lee.
5. Work for the sick (James 5:19-20)—Arthur Rogers.
6. Sunshine Work (Galatians 2:10)—Beatrice Wilson.
7. Teaching strangers (Deut. 31:9-13)—Mae Womack.
8. Angels Unaware (Gen. 18:1-8)—Clyde Carroll.
9. Sentence Prayers.
10. What can Christian Endeavor do for Prisoners?—Forrest Bowe.
11. What is the joy of Ministering to Christ?—Mary Galley.
12. To what brethren of Christ may we minister?—Frankie Mae Baker.

The Christian Endeavor of Hereford meets next Sunday, Oct. 28th at the Presbyterian church. Services begin promptly at 6:15. All members are urged to be present and we would be glad to have new members at any time. Visitors will be heartily welcomed at our meetings, where their presence and help inspires us to be up and doing more for our Master.

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Star Theatre
AND THE GOVERNMENT TAX

The Government has levied a tax of One Cent on all children's tickets between the ages of Five and Twelve and Two Cents on all adult tickets where the admission is Ten Cents and up to and including Twenty Cents and One Cent added for each Five or Ten Cents charged above Twenty Cents admission. The new tax bill says that the patrons to the show must pay the tax. The exhibitor has got to keep a daily record of all admissions showing that the tax was collected off of the people. If the admission price is Fifteen Cents now, when the law takes effect on November 1st, the Exhibitor will either have to charge 13 cents admission and Two cents for the tax or Fifteen cents admission and collect the Two cents tax extra, making 17c.

There has been an extra amount of revenue added on to each reel of pictures we show. It would be impossible for me to keep the Star Theatre up to the present standard if we cut our admission to the 13c rate. Amarillo and most all the Exhibitors have decided to charge the 13c four days in each week and 15c the other two days, as it would be very inconvenient to collect the two cents from each person. We think the public would rather pay the 15c two days each week. When you pay the 15c we guarantee to give you two money's worth. The Government needs the money to help win this war; let us do our part. Canada has had a tax on the shows similar to this for some two years; the people have not complained one bit. The new law cuts out all complimentary tickets and passes. No one but employees of the theatre are entitled to a pass. The penalty on the manager of a theatre for not making a correct report at the end of each month is 20 years in the penitentiary.

It is our aim to give the public the very best there is to be had in pictures—without a liberal patronage we can not do so. The prices we are asking for admission are as low as the majority and lower than in parts of the country for the same pictures. When we get something that is extra special we have to charge extra—without a liberal patronage we cannot afford to get them. We want the Star Theatre to be your show. We want you to help us make it the best show in Texas. We have the program and the equipment. What we need now is the loyal support of the people of Hereford. Will you help boost—boost—boost?

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E. Renfro et ux to Chris Renfro, blk. 83 Whitehead Add; \$2200.00.

J. H. Bowers et al to Willie M. Bowers, S. E. 1-4 sec. 75, blk. K-3; \$9200.

Mrs. Eva Laurie to H. S. Arnold, 300 acres E 1-2 sec. 69, blk. M-7; \$16,000.00.

Charles A. Baker to Norvin C. Downer, Lot 13, Block 36, Evans Add.

W. A. Peck et ux to J. S. Orr, N. W. 1-2 sec 80, blk. K-4; \$2700.00.

T. Carrabine to H. T. Abernathy, S. 1-2 and N. W. 1-4 sec. 51, blk. K-11; \$8640.00.

J. S. Mitchell et ux to D. R. Grimes, Lot. 10, blk. 2, Meacham Add; \$600.

V. C. Nelson to S. E. Burton, undivided 1/2 interest in all sec. 83, blk. K-7; \$3407.25.

V. C. Nelson to S. E. Burton, W. 1-2 sec. 35, all sec. 34, twp. 6 N., range 3 east; \$5188.00.

G. W. Barcus et ux to D. R. Grimes, Lot. 5, blk. 7, Womble Add.; \$50.00.

M. B. Burum et ux to Charles Donald, S. 1-2 sec. 12 and S. 1-2 sec. 11, twp. 4 N., range 4 east; \$1728.00.

T. E. Money et ux to C. C. Ferguson, all sec. 30, blk. K-14; \$14,752.00.

E. R. Read et ux to Roy K. Bruner, 1735 acres land Cap. Syndicate; \$25,025.00.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

MRS. P. W. PRICE, Phone 28.

A jolly crowd of young folks, numbering sixteen, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Broadwell on Monday evening, and to their delight found the beautiful spacious home in readiness for their thorough enjoyment. The many bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums, the burning fireplaces, and the hearty greeting from the host and hostess started the evening's routine.

Immediately after arrival of all the guests the candy-making time began, when an assortment of chocolate fudge French chewing, and taffy were made. At the same time other amusements, such as popping corn, cracking nuts, and playing the piano were enjoyed.

A box of the candy was mailed to some of the soldier boys at Fort Worth.

Those who participated in this occasion were: Misses Cassie Phillips, Bobby Aston, Cora Lee Gough, Wilson Nellie Clein, Nelta Carter, Webb Lamb, Messrs. Edgar Webb, Wilber Van Dyke, Roy Begeham, Harland Lambert, Glenn Boardman, Philip and David Broadwell, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Shepard, and host and hostess.

A musical given by Mrs. Walter Lupton, honoring Mesdames Showalter, Carl, and Miss Houston, on Saturday afternoon, was greatly enjoyed by about forty ladies.

Mrs. Lupton was assisted by Mrs. Tandy in the reception room. After meeting the honorees Miss Mahoney conducted the guests to the dining room where Mesdames McLain and Stubbs served the guests to Pimiento sandwiches. Lester served, stuffed olives, chocolate brownies, chocolate and tea. The tea table was profusely decorated with flowers and lighted with pink candles.

After luncheon a delightful musical program was given, as follows:

Piano selections by Mrs. Tandy and Mrs. Dyar.

VICTROLA PROGRAM
Chant Polonaise by Paderewski, followed by a talk on his technique by Mrs. Tandy.

Ave Marie (Schubert) Violin—Maude Powell.

Mrs. Stubbs gave a sketch of Maude Powell's life and a lucid explanation of the motive of the selection.

A Scotch Ballad by Harry Lauder, followed by a talk from Mrs. Chas. Donald on this foremost of Music Hall Singers.

"The Star Spangled Banner and Dixie" by Emma Eames.

Mrs. Ferguson talked on the career of this Operatic Star.

An Italian Folk Song—by Scotti.

Mrs. Broadwell talked on folk songs and sketched the career of Scotti.

The Agnes Dei—by Caruso.

An English translation of the Agnes Dei was read by Mrs. Dyar and a talk on the life of this world's foremost tenor.

An Irish Love song—by Mme. Schumann Heink—a talk on Mme. Heink by myself.

The U. D. C. met at the Red Cross room Friday afternoon and while listening to reports from various committees, others were busy sewing for the Red Cross box to be packed and shipped Monday.

The annual report from Secretary and Treasurer were given.

The nominating committee presented the following names to fill offices of U. D. C. for the new year:

Mesdames T. M. Palmer, President, O. G. Hill, 1st Vice.
Eli Dunlap, 2nd Vice.
T. E. Huffman, Corresponding Sec.
Roy Stocking, Recording Sec'y.
J. M. Gilliland, Registrar.
J. T. Goulier, Chaplain.



Family Dr. says: Before you get the Toothache have on hand a Tooth relief.



HOW LONG SINCE SOME MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY SUFFERED ALL NIGHT WITH THE TOOTHACHE AND YOU YOURSELF STAYED AWAKE MANY, MANY HOURS. IF IT WAS NOT THE TOOTHACHE IT WAS SOME OTHER ACHE, PAIN OR TROUBLE THAT COULD HAVE BEEN QUICKLY RELIEVED IF YOU HAD HAD ON HAND A SUPPLY OF OUR "HOUSEHOLD-REMEDIES" FOR ANY EMERGENCY. THEN COME IN AND LET US STOCK YOUR MEDICINE CABINET. IF YOU ARE NOT YET A CUSTOMER OF OUR DRUG STORE BECOME OUR CUSTOMER, BECAUSE WHEN YOU BUY FROM US YOU CAN "RELY" ON WHAT YOU GET.

BETTS-CLARK, DRUGGISTS THE NYAL STORE

LOCAL AND PERSONAL MISS WEBB LAMB, Local Reporter.—Phone 30.

Come to The Fair for your dishes. Mr. and Mrs. Cogdell and baby are in Dallas attending the Fair. Mrs. J. B. Phillips left last week to visit relatives in Missouri. Ladies' coat suits and skirts cleaned and pressed. All work guaranteed. Phone 160. Beene & Bennett. 30-1f. Mrs. W. R. Stubbs, wife of ex-governor Stubbs of Kansas, is stopping at the Cordova. Diamond mountings, brooch and ring mountings for special stones made to order. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. A. L. Davis was a Hereford visitor Sunday. Job Printing! The Brand carries column after column of news to over a thousand subscribers weekly. The Brand is doing its "bit" toward bringing the Hereford section to the attention of the investors of the country. In return we ask at least a share of the local job work. THE BRAND. Fred Banks returned the first of the week from Dallas where he had been attending the Fair. If you have City property for sale list it with us. If you want to buy City property call on us. ASHBROOK & SUGGS, First State Bank Bldg. 36-1f. Jno. Sherman and Ray Barber left Sunday for Kansas City. Work called for and delivered promptly. Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 33-1f. Misses Clyde Wilson and Mary Gallagher returned last night from Dallas where they have been attending the Fair. Skelton has window glass of every size. Suits and Dresser cleaned and pressed. \$1.00. Beene & Bennett's Tailor Shop. 38-1f. A. E. Chamness of Lawrenceville, Ill., is stopping at the Cordova.

Mrs. T. F. Cassidy, of Chicago, is visiting Hereford friends. 21 Jewel Elgin watches in 20 year case while they last at \$22.50. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. Mrs. Oederholz is spending the week-end with her daughter in Amarillo. We make a specialty of first class cleaning, pressing and repairing. Phone 160. Beene & Bennett. 36-1f. Mrs. Edward Johnson is spending the week-end in Amarillo, the guest of her husband who is serving on the jury at that place. Eyes tested and glasses fitted. Your money back, if you are not satisfied. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. Mrs. Jno. Sherman and Mrs. Ray Barber are in Kansas City. Mr. Chennoweth's mother and sister, Mrs. Cox, are here for an indefinite visit. Job Printing! Letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, statement blanks, Legal Supplies. Everything in the printing line for the office. THE BRAND. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Black and son, William, spent Sunday with friends at Wyche-Lakeview. Just received a shipment of ladies' handkerchiefs that are sure to please you. C. A. SKEJTON. 11 Mrs. Pickerell returned Friday to her home in Amarillo. Skelton's line of Aluminum ware is sold under a 25-year guarantee. The fire season is on. Hadn't you better protect your home. The oldest Insurance Company in America will protect it. T. K. WILSON, Agent. 39-1f. Messrs. G. L. and O. G. McLean are business visitors in Hereford this week. Will sell or trade for cattle, 6 good work horses and mules, one Grant Six car and one two-row lister. Phone 69. 37-1f.

Mrs. G. A. F. Parker is visiting her mother in Temple. We have an optical room built and equipped for the very latest and scientific methods of testing eyes. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. J. B. Phillips and daughter, Cassie, and Mr. Vanoyke, motored to Friona Sunday. Miss Gladys Ivy spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Dyer are in Kansas City attending the Christian Convention. Good program, fortune telling and "rats" at Wyche schoolhouse Halloween party Friday night. It's for the Red Cross. We want to lease one or two sections of good grass, with water, in 10 miles of town. Will pay good price. G. A. MERRICK & SON, Hereford, Texas. Orville Newell is in Dallas attending the Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Gregory are attending the State Fair in Dallas. It's the cheapest Ford we have ever offered for sale; quality considered. BARNHART & RICE. Beginning Saturday morning, Oct. 27th, the ARLINGTON HOTEL, successor to the Miller Hotel, will serve meals at 40c, except the Sunday dinner, which will be 50c. Let Beene & Bennett renovate your suits. All work guaranteed. Phone 160. With our gas welding machine we can weld broken castings, aluminum, steel, brass, and most all other metals. Barnhart & Rice. 39-2f. Have your old style plain rings made into a "new model". We will use your own gold, and do the work in our own shop. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. We have what you want at money-saving prices. C. A. SKEJTON. G. W. Charlton has returned from a visit with friends in Missouri. Feed is feed this year. A fire can destroy it in a few minutes. I can insure it for three, four, five, or six months. The cost is small. Better see or phone me. T. K. WILSON, Agent. We clean ladies' dresses where others fail. Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. A box supper will be given at the Dawn School on Halloween night, Wednesday, October 31. The young ladies are requested to bring well-filled boxes, and the boys bring well-filled pocket books. Mr. Gale Valentine, of Morfat, N. M., is on his return trip from Chicago and St. Louis, and incidentally stopped off at Hereford to be the guest of his brother, W. I. Valentine, and family. Mr. Valentine is one of New Mexico's prosperous cattlemen. E. E. Majors, Local Agent for the Southwestern Insurance Co. and a member of the 1000 club left for Dallas to attend the Fair Tuesday. A. M. Jones and Walter Spradley making business trip to Miss. Okla. last Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. W. B. Farper and Miss Nellie Farmer have returned from a trip to the Dallas Fair. Enroute they stopped at Cleburne and paid a visit to Miss Mary Farmer, in school at that point, while in Dallas dropped in on Buford Farmer, a student at Southern Methodist University. We will save you money when you buy from the Hereford Produce Co. Parties knowing address of Chas. Havenhill, P. S. Pulliz, or H. & Susan Miller, kindly send same to Box 14, Hereford, Texas. We have a complete line of dinner ware in both plain and decorated, that was bought on the old price. We always give our customers the advantage of any low prices we can obtain. Do you know your future? If not, attend the Halloween social at Wyche schoolhouse Friday night. Red Cross benefit. WINTER WHEAT ON GREAT PLAINS A report of experiments in the growing of winter wheat in the Great Plains area recently published by the United States Department of Agriculture as Department Bulletin No. 505, should be useful to farmers in this region who are planning to increase their wheat acreage. In the opinion of officials of the department, the title of the bulletin is "Winter Wheat in the Great Plains Area." Copies may be had on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. THRIFT THOUGHT Cold ham, chicken, or other meat left over in quantities too small for use alone, may be used advantageously by mixture with other foods, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Here is a recipe for one way to use such meat. Meat and Pastry Rolls Chop the meat fine and season. It with Mix in enough butter or other fat to make it "shape" well. Form into rolls about the size of a finger and wrap around each a thin piece of short dough made from a pint of flour, 2 tablespoonfuls of baking powder, salt, and milk enough to mix. Bake the rolls in a hot oven until they are a delicate brown. Serve hot. A Balanced Ration.—To make hens lay, either give them a chance to get what nature requires or provide them with something that will take its place. The following whole grain mixture is fed morning and afternoon in a straw litter: 60 lbs. Milo, kafir or corn. Whole Grain: 60 lbs. Wheat, barley or heavy oats. The following mash is fed dry in a hopper kept open during the afternoon only: 60 lbs. Milo, kafir, or corn meal. 30 lbs. Wheat middlings (shorts). 15 lbs. Wheat bran. 35 lbs. Beef scrap. 1 lb. Salt. The fowl should eat about one-half as much mash by weights as whole grain. It is a good idea to feed only a very little grain feed in the morning and all they want late in the afternoon. This ration should be supplemented with some succulent green feed the fowls will eat. It is important that they have some form of green feed daily. Grit and oyster shell are necessary, also cool and clean surroundings with plenty of fresh water. "If you can't put a gun on your shoulder," says the Indiana State Council of Defense, "put a silo on your farm."

A treat in store for you at the Halloween Social, Wyche schoolhouse, Friday evening. Supper, fortune telling, etc. For Red Cross benefit. Miss Juanita Caylor, who is attending Business College in Amarillo, sent Saturday and Sunday with her parents. Do your eyes hurt, or your head ache when you read? If so, you ought to have your eyes tested. The chances are you need glasses, or your glasses don't fit you. W. H. RAY. 37-1f. Orr's Tailor Shop. Phone 16. 33-1f. Referring Dallas Fair visitors report that W. E. Nyal and son with their string of Percheron horses have won about all the blue ribbons possible. "We are never satisfied unless you are." Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. Don't throw that broken casting away; take it to Barnhart & Rice and have it welded. Our equipment for testing eyes and fitting glasses is the very best. W. H. RAY. We have a fine line of wall paper and can save you money. C. A. SKEJTON. We are right here to make our glasses good, if they do not fit, or your money back. W. H. RAY. A box supper will be given at the Dawn School on Halloween night, Wednesday, October 31. The young ladies are requested to bring well-filled boxes, and the boys bring well-filled pocket books. Mr. Gale Valentine, of Morfat, N. M., is on his return trip from Chicago and St. Louis, and incidentally stopped off at Hereford to be the guest of his brother, W. I. Valentine, and family. Mr. Valentine is one of New Mexico's prosperous cattlemen. E. E. Majors, Local Agent for the Southwestern Insurance Co. and a member of the 1000 club left for Dallas to attend the Fair Tuesday. A. M. Jones and Walter Spradley making business trip to Miss. Okla. last Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. W. B. Farper and Miss Nellie Farmer have returned from a trip to the Dallas Fair. Enroute they stopped at Cleburne and paid a visit to Miss Mary Farmer, in school at that point, while in Dallas dropped in on Buford Farmer, a student at Southern Methodist University. We will save you money when you buy from the Hereford Produce Co. Parties knowing address of Chas. Havenhill, P. S. Pulliz, or H. & Susan Miller, kindly send same to Box 14, Hereford, Texas. We have a complete line of dinner ware in both plain and decorated, that was bought on the old price. We always give our customers the advantage of any low prices we can obtain. Do you know your future? If not, attend the Halloween social at Wyche schoolhouse Friday night. Red Cross benefit. WINTER WHEAT ON GREAT PLAINS A report of experiments in the growing of winter wheat in the Great Plains area recently published by the United States Department of Agriculture as Department Bulletin No. 505, should be useful to farmers in this region who are planning to increase their wheat acreage. In the opinion of officials of the department, the title of the bulletin is "Winter Wheat in the Great Plains Area." Copies may be had on application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. THRIFT THOUGHT Cold ham, chicken, or other meat left over in quantities too small for use alone, may be used advantageously by mixture with other foods, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Here is a recipe for one way to use such meat. Meat and Pastry Rolls Chop the meat fine and season. It with Mix in enough butter or other fat to make it "shape" well. Form into rolls about the size of a finger and wrap around each a thin piece of short dough made from a pint of flour, 2 tablespoonfuls of baking powder, salt, and milk enough to mix. Bake the rolls in a hot oven until they are a delicate brown. Serve hot. A Balanced Ration.—To make hens lay, either give them a chance to get what nature requires or provide them with something that will take its place. The following whole grain mixture is fed morning and afternoon in a straw litter: 60 lbs. Milo, kafir or corn. Whole Grain: 60 lbs. Wheat, barley or heavy oats. The following mash is fed dry in a hopper kept open during the afternoon only: 60 lbs. Milo, kafir, or corn meal. 30 lbs. Wheat middlings (shorts). 15 lbs. Wheat bran. 35 lbs. Beef scrap. 1 lb. Salt. The fowl should eat about one-half as much mash by weights as whole grain. It is a good idea to feed only a very little grain feed in the morning and all they want late in the afternoon. This ration should be supplemented with some succulent green feed the fowls will eat. It is important that they have some form of green feed daily. Grit and oyster shell are necessary, also cool and clean surroundings with plenty of fresh water. "If you can't put a gun on your shoulder," says the Indiana State Council of Defense, "put a silo on your farm."

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FRENCH INDUSTRY IS RECOVERING

Natural Thrift and Economy Promise Rapid Progress

EXPORT BUSINESS GROWING

Our Great Ally Possesses Recuperative Powers Which Justify Belief That She Will Meet and Solve Triumphantly the Problems Which Confront Her After the War.

With Paris boulevards echoing with "vives" for American troops our interest in the welfare of our ally vastly increases, and the facts are not lacking to encourage the belief that she is already on the road to recovery from the blow of invasion by a ruthless enemy.

One of the most important developments is the announcement that one of the largest banking institutions in America concerned with foreign trade, the Guaranty Trust company

The increasing activity of her railway system is similarly demonstrable. In 1909, there were in France 10,743 miles of railway track; in 1912, there were 31,546 miles.

Between 1909 and 1912, inland navigation increased 150 per cent; while the traffic of her mercantile marine has amazingly expanded. The tonnage entering French ports in 1909 is set down as 11,000,000 tons. In 1912 this had been increased to 53,000,000 tons.

Leaders in American finance ascribe this solidarity of the French republic to three influences; first, a thoroughly sound banking system, centralized in one of the greatest banking institutions of the world, the Bank of France; second, the ingrained thrift and frugality of the French people as a whole, together with a national economic vigor not elsewhere surpassed; third, wise supervision, and patriotic co-operation by the government with banking and business interests.

The government does its part to warrant and retain the confidence of the holders of its securities. One of its wise policies is to impose new taxes to defray the interest charges on new security issues. It began this practice after the Franco-Prussian war, and is today following the same rule in regard to securities issued to finance the present conflict. This continuity of purpose, doubtless, will prove reassuring to all holders of French government securities.

The Franco-Prussian war of 1870-1871 taught the French people the

Houston, Texas, Oct. 23 1917.

TO THE EDITORS OF TEXAS:

The Federal Food Administrator of Texas, E. A. Peden, called a meeting of the hotel and restaurant men of Houston on Monday of the current week, and at that meeting the following points were tentatively agreed upon: Reducing the size of portions now served in cafes, adopting beef- less, but not meatless days, serving corn bread in place of wheat bread; the conservation of labor as well as the conservation of food, caterers and hotel men pooling interests in a much cut-down labor as the result of enlistments.

The meeting is one of general interest to Texasans, as it forms a precedent for similar conferences which are to be held over the state. These conferences will be called by the different members of the Advisory committee of hotel and restaurant men, and their influence will reach out to the smaller towns, where the American plan for service make for an extravagance rather than an economy. These meetings will be under the direction of J. E. Daley, State Chairman of the Advisory Committee of hotel and restaurant men.

At the conference a resolution was presented from the Women's General Board co-operating with the Food Administration, which was well received by the caterers. It is presumed that this resolution will be adopted at all meetings of caterers in Texas. The resolution is as follows:

To the Hotel and Restaurant keepers of Texas:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the General Advisory Board of women for food conservation in Texas, acting under the direction of the United States Department of Agriculture, and co-operating with the Federal Food Administration, respectfully petition the hotel and restaurant association of Texas to co-operate with our Committee, and the women of the State in the National work for food conservation by eliminating all possible waste in the preparation and serving of food, particularly in the serving of "war" or "plate" portions to patrons at a reduction in price from the full service. This Committee believes that by so doing the waste accruing from the full service will be largely eliminated and the patrons will be enabled to obtain sufficient food at less cost.

The Women's General Advisory Board pledge your Association their warmest co-operation in such a movement. Respectfully submitted, Mrs. W. P. Hobby, of Austin; Mrs. Fred Fleming, of Dallas; Mrs. W. E. Sharp, of Houston; Mrs. C. W. Conery, of Ft. Worth; Mrs. E. A. Waters, of Ft. Worth; Mrs. P. V. Pennybacker, of Austin; Mrs. M. F. Cunningham, of Galveston; Mrs. Bacon Saunders, of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Ray Campbell, of San Antonio; Mrs. Maggie Barry, of Sherman; Miss Grace Berry, of San Marcos; Miss Laura Neale, of College Station; Miss Mary E. Gearing, of Austin.

E. A. PEDEN, Federal Food Administrator for Texas.

Get the "Eat More Corn" Habit at Breakfast Time—Recipe for Corn Pancakes

Order a "stack of corn" or a "stack of kaffir" instead of a "stack of wheat" cakes at the hotel or restaurant. Pancakes made of corn or kaffir corn or one of these grains with a little wheat flour are fully as palatable and nutritious as cakes made of wheat only, say food specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Millions of wheat cakes are consumed at the American breakfast table every morning. Get the "stack of corn" habit and save the wheat.

The department is urging restaurants and hotel proprietors to instruct their chefs to prepare and have ready for use batter for corn cakes each morning so that patrons may order corn cakes instead of wheat cakes. Corn cakes have always been popular on the family table. By featuring the "stack of corn" cakes on their menus it is believed patrons will be glad to form the "eat more corn" habit at breakfast time.

Corn cakes with syrup are appetizing and satisfying. The following recipe is recommended:

- Corn-Meal Pancakes**
1 cup corn meal
1 cup flour (wheat)
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1-2 tablespoon sugar
1 tablespoon melted butter
1 egg
1 cup milk

Mix the dry ingredients, add melted butter, well-beaten egg, and milk. Bake like ordinary griddle cakes.

Fruit Evaporators and Driers

To furnish information for those who are undertaking the operation of plants for evaporating and drying of fruits at this time, when the conservation of such products is especially important, the United States Department of Agriculture has just published a Farmers' Bulletin on the subject, "Commercial Evaporation and Drying of Fruits." The publication describes equipment and practices in both sun drying and evaporation of fruits by artificial heat, and makes suggestions

for protecting dried fruits from insects and for preparing them for market. Copies of the bulletin may be had free so long as the supply lasts by application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

TO MOTHERS

A series of articles on the care and training of small boys and girls at home is being issued weekly by the United States Bureau of Education. They deal with such topics as understanding children, outdoor and indoor

games and occupations, playmates, plays and toys, books, stories, pictures music and pets. To receive the articles as issued, send name and address with request to be put on the mailing list for Mothers' Articles, to the Kindergarten Division of the United States Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C.

SAVE THE WHEAT

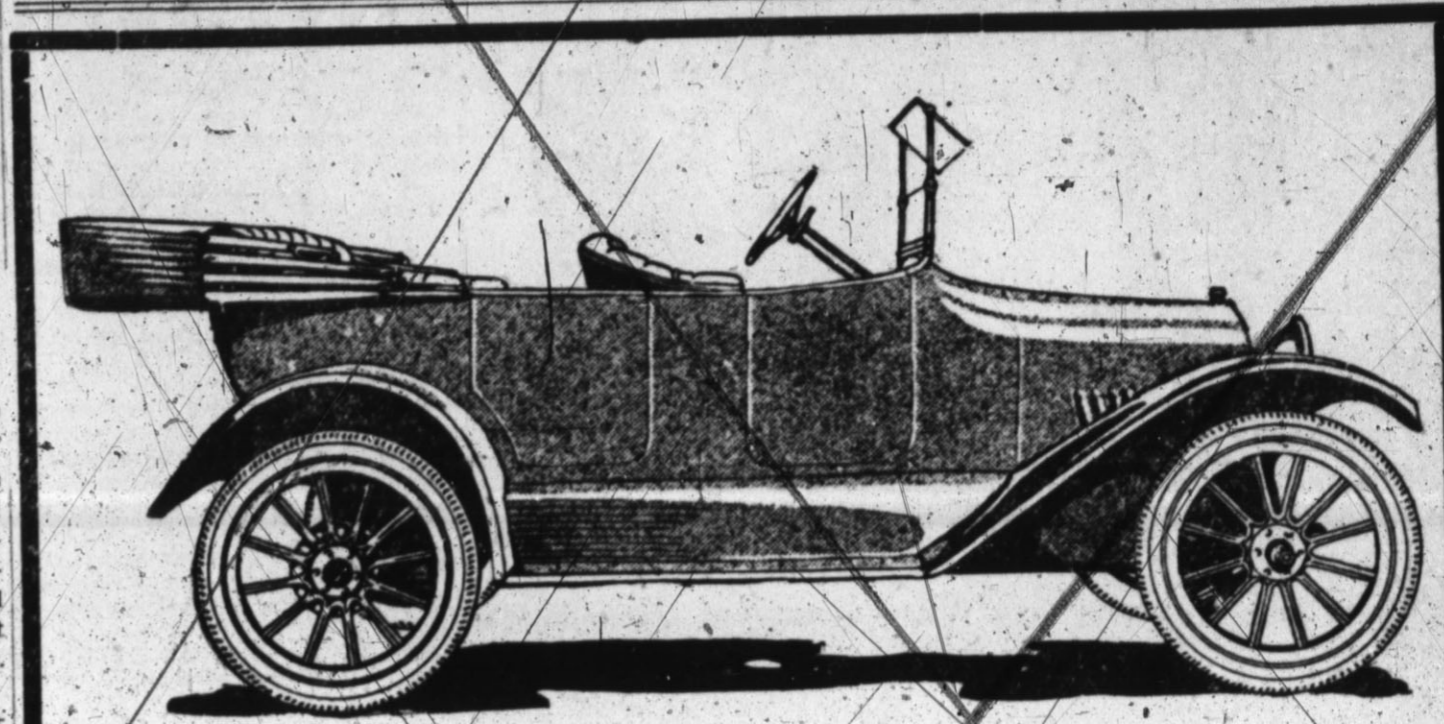
Don't be content with doing your bit for the country; do your best.

YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD

Cold Slaw
Slice a small cabbage very finely. Soak in cold water until crisp. Drain and dry between towels and mix with cream salad dressing. It will improve the dressing to add to it a very little curry powder.

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LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA
A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic. Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Pepsin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c



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SOME USED CARS ON HAND

Fashionable Footwear That Fits

WALK-OVER SHOES



Giving women the proper style in footwear is something that the Walk-Over Boot Shop is specially prepared to do. The style in Walk-Over Shoes for women comes from Paris. In that city, a style-expert from the Walk-Over factory not only studies the prevailing modes, but collects information from the makers of women's gowns. The last is a direct clue to what the coming shoe styles are to be, because shoe-styles always follow close upon the styles of dress.

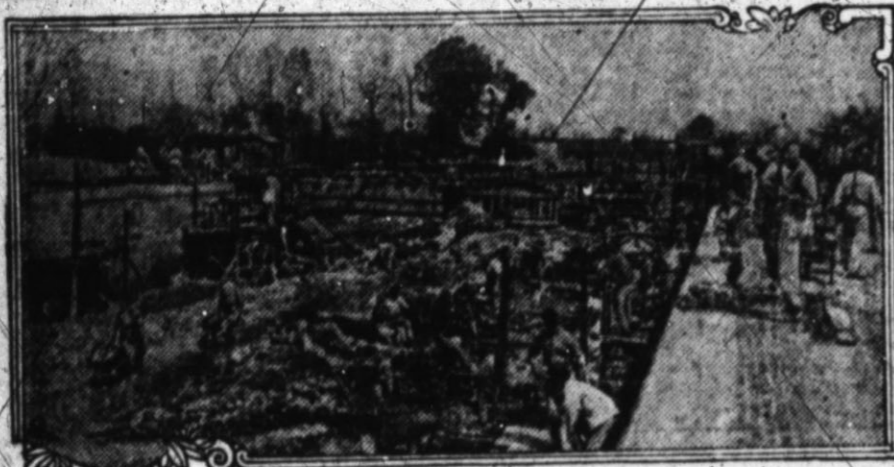
As a bit of interesting fashion news, we will advise our customers that the trend of fashion seems to point to another year of tan and brown shoe popularity for both men and women. The large number of men, and women too, who are wearing khaki, together with the tendency toward the military colors in all clothes, are increasing the vogue for tan and brown leathers.

We offer our customers in Walk-Over shoes, styles that are correct, in shoes that are designed by experts to afford the utmost ease and comfort, while conforming naturally to the lines and movements of the feet.

Geo. A. Stambaugh

HEREFORD, TEXAS.

THE STORE FOR SAFE BUYING



SOLDIERS IN THE VERDUN SECTOR REPAIRING A RUINED CANAL.

of New York, has opened a Paris branch to handle the rapidly increasing volume of French business.

This action may surprise many persons who had thought of France as bowed under a calamitous invasion. The bank, however, gives figures indicating that France is not only meeting her military and civilian problems with a stout heart and never failing courage, but is re-establishing her export business with this country.

In 1914, the year of the outbreak of the war, imports from France to this country totaled \$141,448,252. This total was reduced to \$77,158,740 in 1915, but last year the value of French imports to the United States rose to \$102,077,000.

"A nation that can achieve such a commercial recovery while her territory is being ravished by the invader," says the Trust company's statement, "possesses recuperative powers which justify the belief that she will emerge from the present conflict prepared to meet and solve triumphantly the problems which confront her."

The commercial and industrial record of France, following past wars, indicates that she should recover quickly from the actual physical destruction, inflicted in the present conflict. The reconstruction of railroads, the erection

of new bridges and factories, so well did they learn this lesson, that the whole sum of the indemnity demanded by Germany, \$1,000,000,000, was raised within the republic's confines by its own inhabitants and paid off more than one year before the time stipulated by the Germans.

The habit thus acquired has never been forgotten by the French, and today the aggregate number of investors purchasing the French war loans has reached the amazing total of 4,500,000 individual subscribers. Perhaps no other country, in proportion to its population, can make so good a showing.

France is particularly fortunate in that her small investors prefer "safe" investments rather than offerings which promise high returns. Government rents, in France are perpetual, and this characteristic seems to obtain for these government bonds increasing favor in the eyes of the French people.

The points of sympathy between France and America are too many to enumerate, but the spirit of liberty and its resultant democracy are, today as always, the major ideals of both nations. Seeking no victories but those of peace, no territory except their own, no sovereignty except sovereignty over themselves—the independence and



THEIR RETIREMENT FROM OCCUPIED TERRITORY THE GERMAN ARMY DESTROYED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

of factories to replace those destroyed, and the replacement of the mechanism of industrial activity that will be required and that is in part already planned, offer a peculiarly inviting field to American capital and enterprise. Tentative steps have already been taken by representatives of American engineers and business men in this work.

Aside from its attractive business aspect, the enlistment of American money and effort in the great task of reconstruction that will remain at the end of the war will tend to cement still more closely the ties that bind the two great republics together, and will enable Americans to discharge in part the debt they owe to France for her friendly interest in the welfare and progress of the United States from the beginning of its life as a nation.

In judging the industrial status of any nation, its production and consumption of coal, iron, and steel and the growth of its transportation systems are highly significant factors.

In 1909, French industries consumed 21 million tons of coal, of which 13.5 millions were taken from home mines. In 1912, the consumption was 61 millions, of which 41 million tons were taken from home mines.

In 1909, the French output of cast iron was 1,380,000 tons, and of steel, 1,090,000 tons. In 1914, France produced 5,511,000 tons of cast iron and 4,485,000 tons of steel.

equal rights of the weakest member of the family of nations are to the people of the United States and of France entitled to as much respect as those of the mightiest empire. In defense of these principles, France is engaged in a death struggle with militant autocracy and ruthless aggression, and it is not surprising to learn that she has loaned to her allies and to other friendly states 7,000,000,000 francs with which to further the cause of democracy. It is in keeping with America's traditions that since the date on which we formally allied ourselves with France and her allies in the great struggle, our government has lent to France \$370,000,000.

It is eminently fitting that America should now be fighting on French soil to make the world safe for democracy. The liberty that America has enjoyed for 140 years France helped her to achieve. The swords of Lafayette and Rochambeau, aided by the guns of De Grasse upon the high seas, assisted in cutting the foreign ties that bound the American colonies prior to the War for Independence, and from the private purse of King Louis himself came the first loan to America—unsecured and unconditional—to finance that historic undertaking. It was with entire justice that Washington wrote to Rochambeau, "To the generous aid of your nation and to the bravery of its sons is to be ascribed in a very great degree that independence for which we have fought."

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Wanted Ads, Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, City Property, etc. RATES: One Cent per Word for Each Issue. CASH WITH ORDER.

LOST-1 bay mare mule and 1 black horse mule; both have collar marks. About 8 or 9 years old. Notify 39-2f WALTER LUPTON.

FOR SALE-About 30 good young cows and span of good mules. Address, G. A. MERRICK & SON, Hereford, Texas.

ESTRAYS-Strayed onto my premises about 10 days ago, two red sow pigs, weight about 60 lbs each. Owner can have same by proving property and paying damages, and paying for this ad. C. S. RICHARDS.

NOTICE-On and after No. 1st milk will be advanced 10c per gallon. 39-2f HEREFORD DAIRY.

AUTO FOR SALE OR TRADE-A high grade, medium weight, 5 passenger car, in fine shape and the price is so low it will surprise you. BARNHART & RICE.

FOR QUICK SALE-The best and cheapest irrigated section near Hereford; very shallow water; ideal location; easy terms. See ELLISTON.

Home for Sale One of the best built ten-room houses in town. Private high pressure water system giving fire protection; fruit and shade trees; four big lots. Located just outside the city limits, so we have no city taxes. Priced to sell. H. L. RICE.

FOR RENT-Good room with bath; near high school. MRS WILLIAMS.

RESIDENT AGENT WANTED to represent automobile accessory house. Write room 910 Bark Burnett Building, Fort Worth, Texas. 37-3f

FOR SALE-5 room house, 6 lots, \$1200.00; close in. W. C. FALWELL.

WANTED-To buy 100 good white face yearling heifers. See Claud Higgins.

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Best hotel in Floydada, doing good business. Reason for selling, bad health. Address R. O. Fields and Co., Floydada, Texas.

LOST-Open-face silver Waltham watch. Finder please return to GEORGE DENT.

LOST-18 size, smooth, gold case, 21 Jewel, open-face, Elgin watch; black around the crystal. Lost Sunday afternoon in Hereford. Return to Ray's Jewelry store and get reward. J. L. Davis.

FOR SALE-1 row binder. Enquire at Hereford Nursery.

ROOMERS WANTED-Nice room with bath. Phone 63. Mrs. W. A. Doolittle.

FOR SALE-One six room house, well and wind mill, and one-half interest in well on line 807 Miles Avenue. Will sell very cheap for cash or will sell on terms, at 6 per cent interest. Address, H. A. DANIEL, 401 North Buchanan Street, Amarillo, Texas.

FOR SALE-A few sows to farrow soon. See Jas. B. Robinson.

GRASS to lease and feed for sale.

FOR SALE-Extra good Majestic range, cheap. Phone 257.

WANT ADS-Will be run until ordered out unless special number of times is given. If an ad is marked with "tf" following a number, it means that the ad will run until forbidden.

FOR SALE-As I am moving to Amarillo will sell my residence at a bargain. W. O'Brien.

FOR SALE-Ford, 1917 model, run about 1200 miles-In first-class condition. Price \$350. Information at Burns' Drug Store.

When in town, use the rest room at the Ford Garage.

GULF FILLING STATION On 3rd St. Office Phone 145 That Good Gulf Gasoline

ESTRAYS-Strayed from my premises 6 miles north west of Hereford, one black horse and one weaverling, male, white star in forehead, hind feet white. JNO. J. ZINZER.

FOR SALE-1917 model Oldsmobile, 8-cylinder, in good condition. 39-2f Box 333, Hereford Texas.

SOLDIERS' NEWSPAPER AN EXCELLENT SHEET

The Brand is in receipt of a copy of the first number of the Army newspaper entitled "Trench and Camp", issued at Houston, where the Illinois National Guard is mobilized. The paper was sent by W. J. Southern, formerly of DeKalb, Ill., and a subscriber to The Brand. Trench and Camp is an excellent little eight-page paper, devoted to news and notes of the Houston camp and army news in general.

SWINE BREEDERS HELP RED CROSS

W. D. Kelleher of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. is advised by his Past Worth office that various members of the Texas Swine Breeders' Association have donated something over 25 hogs, now on exhibition at the Dallas Fair, to the Red Cross, same to be sold at auction October 2, to the highest bidder, the total proceeds to go to the Red Cross.

Be an optimist. Think of the poor farmer who has to buy 5,000 or 10,000 sacks for his overproduction of wheat.

LESLIE SMITH IS MEMBER OF GREAT SOUSA NAVY BAND

Sousa's Band has for years been the standard of band music in the minds of the great American public. When the war broke out the great Sousa was given the rank of Lieutenant in the U. S. Army and authorized to pick the best in musical talent in the U. S. Army and authorized to pick the best in musical talent in the country over and form them into the greatest band in the world to lead the American troops during the great war.

Hereford has a boy in this greatest of musical organizations. He is Leslie Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith. Leslie has written the following interesting letter to his parents, describing his experience and travels:

DEAR PARENTS AND BROTHERS: Am well and liking my work better every day; as you know my longing to see some of the world has never been satisfied-but now I am getting to see something of this great U. S.

Kansas City gave us a grand farewell reception the day we left there, and the girls there presented our great leader, Lieut. John Phillip Sousa and each of us two-hundred band boys with a sweater and helmet set. These sets were made after we arrived in Kansas City; we were there one week. I am sending you the girl's picture that made my set.

Well we are now in New York City. This is a great city, some wonderful sights to be seen. We go from here to Newark, N. J., from there to Philadelphia, from there to Baltimore, then go to be presented to our President at Washington, D. C., as the greatest band in the world. We then return to New York City, and I don't know where we go from there. We are treated royally and shown the places of interest at each city.

Will write you each day. Love to all. LESLIE. Leslie enlisted in the Navy March 13, 1917, as a musician rated as second class baritone. He took an examination on July 1 and passed as first-class musician. When Sousa picked men for his fine herd of registered white faced calves.

QUICK-EDGE SHARPENER

The very thing for the housewife no more dull knives or shears, the greatest handiwork in the kitchen. Once you see it you will not be without it. Anyone can sharpen the dullest kind of knives in a few seconds.

For demonstration and on sale at the Fair Store. OTTO BHEIND.

THRIFT THOUGHT

Here is an appetizing way to use that meat left from yesterday's roast, Madam Housewife. It is suggested by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Meat Pie

Cut meat into fairly small pieces. Steep in saucepan with a little water, left-over gravy or soup, salt to taste, and such seasoning vegetables as onions and celery, if desired. Thicken liquid with flour. Line baking dish with biscuit dough, pour in the meat filling, cover with biscuit dough and bake in a medium oven.

If the quantity of meat is small, a little macaroni or diced potato may be added. Such pies to be at their best must be well seasoned.

Mrs. Hayden Ford of Vera, Knox county, Texas, who has been visiting her son and brother at Clovis, N. M., has arrived in Hereford for a short stay with her brother, J. M. Boone.

SAVE SKIM MILK FOR HUMAN FOOD

Although skim milk is recognized as having great value in feeding animals, the United States Department of Agriculture points out that its value as human food should be kept in mind. By substituting grain, green feed, buttermilk, and whey in animal feeding, much skim milk may be left for human use as a beverage. In cooking, condensing, or for making cottage cheese. Only the surplus of this valuable human food should be fed to stock.

While skim milk is good for stock, the fact remains that its highest efficiency can not be had through turning it into meat. Skim milk is used most economically in animal production when fed to hogs, yet it takes 20 pounds when fed alone to produce 1 pound of pork. The same quantity will make 3 pounds of cottage cheese. In addition, cottage cheese contains 1 1/2 times as much protein and one-third as much energy as pork, so that the skim milk in the cheese form gives quite as much energy and 4 1/2 times as much protein as it would if converted into ham or bacon.

Even at the highest prices recently paid for hogs, skim milk fed to them is worth not more than 1 cent a pound. Yet 1 cent a pound, or approximately 1 cent a quart, is very cheap for human food, and particularly for a food so high in nutritive value as skim milk.

Special discount for the next few days on light cut glass in order to make room for our Christmas line. W. H. RAY.

Let Beene & Bennett renovate your suits. All work guaranteed. Telephone 190. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rice returned Tuesday from a few days' visit at the Dallas Fair.

Stuffed Cabbage

Remove coarse outer leaves and core Parboil for 3 minutes. Fill core, and inside of each leaf with finely chopped left-over meat (raw meat is best), or sausage. The securely in cheesecloth. Place in kettle with two or three carrots and onions. Cover with stock; and let simmer slowly two hours, or until tender.

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LIVE STOCK MOVEMENTS

D. C. Laird has sold 27 head of five-year-old black cows, with calves to J. D. Thompson for \$95 around.

Walter Lupton has purchased a carload of Jersey cows that were shipped into Hereford, and sent them to his ranch sixteen miles northwest of town. Mr. Lupton will use these milkers, together with several others, as milk suppliers for his fine herd of registered white faced calves.

Jeff D. Thompson has purchased 37 head of black cows and calves from Wilkinson & Valentine, and 17 head from Mr. Shore. In another purchase of 100 head of cows and calves, Mr. Thompson paid \$100 a round, then sold the calves for \$40 each to a man in Hamilton, Kans. All told, Mr. Thompson has bought about 1,000 head of black cattle within the past few months.

S. J. Sanders shipped out one car of horses during the week.

SOME CABBAGE RECIPES Suggestions for the Preparation of Dishes that are Different from "Plain Boiled"

How to vary preparation of cabbage from "plain boiled" is suggested by the United States Department of Agriculture in the following recipes.

Cabbage with Sour Sauce After taking off the outside leaves, remove tough stalk from a small head of cabbage; cut in quarters, soak in cold water and cook in boiling salted water in an uncovered dish, adding one-fourth teaspoonful of soda. Cook slowly from 20 minutes to 1 hour, drain, and serve with the following sour sauce:

Melt 1 tablespoonful of butter, or other fat, then add one tablespoonful of flour and one-half cup of milk. Stir over the fire until hot and add 1 teaspoonful of made English mustard and 2 tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Pour over hot cabbage. If preferred a plain cream sauce can be used.

Smothered Cabbage Cut fine one-half head of cabbage. Melt two level tablespoonfuls of butter or other fat in a pan and stir in 2 level tablespoonfuls of flour. Add the cabbage, 1 cup of sweet milk, 1 teaspoonful salt, and one-eighth teaspoonful pepper. Cover closely and simmer slowly 30 minutes.

Cabbage Pudding Shred the head of cabbage closely and cook in salted water until tender. Drain and place in buttered dish. In layers with sprinkling of grated cheese between. To 2 level tablespoonfuls of melted butter or other fat, add 2 tablespoonfuls flour, add a cup of milk, yolks of 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, and one-half teaspoonful of mustard. Stir over fire until it boils, then add beaten whites of eggs. Pour over cabbage, mix well, and bake 1 hour.

Sheriff's Sale STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 19th day of September, 1917, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of SHERM WILLIAMS versus WILLIAM T. KEMPER, No. 530, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours

A. E. Chalmers shipped to Marshall Chalmers one car registered cattle from the National Stock Yards in Illinois.

B. S. Arnold shipped four cars of cattle to Amarillo, and four to Kansas City.

D. C. Laird shipped eleven cars of cattle to St. Joe, Mo.

Fred Degman shipped four cars of cattle to Englewood, Kans.

J. B. Phillips shipped three cars of cattle to Kansas City. Geo. O'Brien shipped thirteen cars of cattle to St. Joe, Mo.

Cloyd Powell, and Metcalf shipped four cars of cattle to Kansas City.

Cloyd & Churchill shipped two cars of cattle to Amarillo.

precribed by law for Sheriff's Sale of the FIRST TUESDAY in November, A. D. 1917, it being the 6th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas and being a portion of Capitol League Number 385 and being all of Section No. 31, Township No. 5, north of Range No. 2 east, of a Capitol Syndicate subdivision, as shown by a plat of such subdivision of record in the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Vol. 15 at pages 60 to 65.

Leveled on as the property of William T. Kemper by a judgment amounting to \$70.50 in favor of SHERM WILLIAMS, and \$70.50 of said. Given under my hand, this 26th day of September, 1917. C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, Deaf Smith County, In District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas. C. L. Sullivan, et al.

Louis E. Botts, et al. No. 437. WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1911, in favor of C. L. Sullivan and N. L. Sullivan against Louis E. Botts, H. B. McKinley, Grant, Doyle and the First State Bank & Trust Company of Hereford, numbered 437 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1917, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract, lot and parcel of land situated in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties, Texas, and being all of the East half of Abstract No. 25, Certificate No. 1255, Grantee B. S. & E. Sawyer No. 115, in Block M-7, containing 330 1/3 acres of land; and on the First Tuesday in November, being the sixth (6) day of said November, A. D. 1917, between the hours of ten (10) o'clock a. m. and four (4) o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said Deaf Smith County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Louis E. Botts, Grant, Doyle, H. B. McKinley and the First State Bank and Trust Company of Hereford in and to said property. Dated at Hereford, Texas, this 8th day of October, A. D. 1917. C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas. 37-3f.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE IRONIC QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

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Lax-Pos, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic Does Not Grip or Disturb the Stomach. In addition to other properties, Lax-Pos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Pos acts effectively and does not grip nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Hereford Lodge No. 849, A. F. & A. M. meets Saturday night on or before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. GEO. BEAMS W. M.; J. S. Jones Sec.

WOODMEN OF WORLD Meets every Second and Fourth, Saturday nights in the I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Brothers always welcome. Troy Womble, Consul Commander; W. W. Bennett, Clerk.

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The Sunday School is becoming interested and will make an effort to get their parents to pay a part of that which they owe to their God by subscribing to the new building.		
For a time we shall publish in this column the amounts paid in by the various classes and not publish other sums being paid in on subscriptions.		
There were some Liberty Bonds donated this week. What do you think of that? Are you surprised? Come on with your Liberty Bonds. It is possible to secure the assignment of \$10,000.00 in Liberty Bonds in the next twenty days, for the building of this church. Since we last published a partial statement of cash in this column, a number of others have made partial payments. Yes, cash and Liberty Bonds and notes were still coming in this week on the day this article was written.		
The Sunday School classes have paid in as follows:		
Mrs. Ashbrook's class by Jesse Anthony, \$1.00; Dene Dunlap, \$1.00; Cosette Hawkins, \$1.00; Opal Miller, \$1; Pearl Miller, \$1.00; Rowena Mooney, \$1.00; Mary Hatcliff, \$1.00 and Donalda Sites, \$1.00.		
Miss Mary Dunlap's class \$9.00.		
Mrs. J. A. Stigall's class \$19.00.		
The Primary Department, \$2.25.		
Also the following:		
Elizabeth Stegall, \$1.00.		
Louise Ricketts, \$1.00.		
Bessie Lee Rutherford, \$1.00.		
Maurine Hughes, \$1.00.		
We get the above statement from Mr. Parker, the treasurer of the building committee and are unable to test by whom all the sums above given were paid, neither do we know to what class the last four named young ladies belong as that information was not furnished by Mr. Parker. Frank Wilson's class has paid in \$30.00. We do not know which ones made that donation.		
If the Sunday School children and Sunday School boys and girls who are not included in the generic term of children, will all begin the work of insisting on the older members of the church signing and delivering these notes, they will get a new building. Try it.		
Do the Sunday School children want a new building, so that each class may have a separate room? Then all get to work and keep at it until all the church membership sign and deliver the notes.		
We understand that on last Monday the Committee appointed by the Women's Home Missionary Society to secure the signing of the subscription notes, phoned every member of the church. That about seventy-five per cent of the membership answered that they were ready to sign the notes for the assessment made. But they have not done so, altho they are ready and willing. They just haven't. They are ready and willing—but they just set and set. That is all there is to it. They just SET. They sure will not catch cold this winter, will they?		
If you are one of those who are willing to sign the subscription note, why don't you sign and deliver it to Mr. Parker? Those who say they are ready to sign and deliver the note, yet do not act are the ones who are causing the delay and are the ones who are doing a greater hurt to the cause than those who are opposing the new building. Your inactivity, your delay in DELIVERING that note is gradually killing the movement.		
The annual conference is soon to convene at Memphis and we hope that Pastor Wyatt while attending conference will get chuch full of new enthusiasm for the building so that he will begin his second year here with renewed energy and determination, to complete our church building the first six months of next year. Oh, he is coming back next year all right. Suppose that he has pressed the building proposition too hard for some of our and thereby caused us to dislike him and hope to have him moved so that we can get a rest from hearing about the new building and hold on to the money that belongs to God. Suppose that is true, we have got to build and hadn't you rather put up with Pastor Wyatt one more year and have a new building than to have him moved and remain in the old barn. We have got to build and we are going to build and Pastor Wyatt has already made you mad by forcing the new building, so lets have him back another year and we can get still madder, but we will have the new building. No use to send us another good Pastor and cause us to hate him also because he takes up the building proposition where Pastor Wyatt leaves off. Lets not get mad at two of em, keep the one we have and yet get madder but get the new building. Oh, he'll be back all right. Let's give him a poundin' (?) when he gets back and before he starts on his next year's work.		
Did you ever know of a County Judge and Commissioners' court that ordered a new court house built whom the people did not defect in the next election? Did you ever know of a city commission ever trying to pave or make other needed improvements whom the people did not try to defeat? For the same reason some of our members are trying to remove Pastor Wyatt. They don't want to give up the money to put up the necessary building. May be there are better preachers than Pastor Wyatt, but if that is true, the members should be satisfied in a better way.		

Editorials, Clippings and Quotations

METHODIST ROUND OUT A GREAT YEAR'S WORK

The fourth quarterly conference of Lubbock station was held Wednesday evening by Rev. A. L. Moore, of Plainview. This session finished the work of the year at this place, and the reports from the pastor, Sunday School superintendent and other department heads, showed that the church is rounding out one of the greatest year's work of the history of this station.

Pastor Hicks reported having received into the church since last Annual Conference 204. Net gain 154. Present membership 688. Collections for all purposes, salaries, missions, building, etc., about \$28,000.00. This does not include unpaid subscriptions, but cash collections and paid subscriptions.

Reports from the various departments shows much activity in all lines of the church work, bringing up all the work assigned to each department in good shape, making a very fine report, and they Hicks is so to be congratulated upon the splendid showing the church has made under his leadership.

Pastor Hicks announced that all assessments would be paid in full and the Stewards announced through their chairman that the salary of the pastor was paid in full to the first of October, and the balance would be paid before conference, and if everybody will do their duty and pay what they have promised to pay this will be met without sacrifice upon the part of anyone.

The Methodist church here had rather a rocky beginning this year the church building having been destroyed by fire the first of February, and a temporary shed has been housing them during the remainder of the year till the first of this month, when the new building had been advanced far enough to permit the use of the splendid basement for service. The new building though not nearly completed will be carried on to completion at the earliest possible date and will be ready for full occupancy by the early part of the new year, and will be one of the best on the Plains.—Lubbock Avalanche.

And yet our people assert the fact to be that Hereford and Deaf Smith county is at this time in a hundred per cent better condition than Lubbock and Lubbock County. If that be true, then where does the difference lie? If this part of the country has been so much more abundantly blessed with rains, crops, grass, cattle, and in every other material way than the Lubbock country, the difference must be in the two peoples. Do we concede that the people of Lubbock are 'real people, live people, generous people, and that our people are only shadows, pretenders, shams, hypocrites, degenerates?

Read the following also clipped from the Lubbock Avalanche:

Dr. E. E. Robinson, pastor of the Methodist church at Plainview, was in the city a few hours Monday morning. He was returning home from Crosbyton, where he had been to preach the dedicatory sermon at Crosbyton, and was a guest at the Hicks home while in the city.

A Methodist church just dedicated at Crosbyton. And if you have been reading the Advocates, you have seen the cuts of several new churches in that paper within the last two months which have cost from seventeen to thirty thousand dollars. And several of them built in towns no larger than Hereford and in that part of Texas which we are calling the drought stricken portion of Texas. What is the matter with the Methodist of Hereford? You know every one of you know. The first letter in the name of your god is S. That is where the trouble is. You know that the church is sorely needed, you would like to see it built, if you can force some one to pay for it and you are permitted to keep your money.

General Purpose Column

LIBERTY BONDS

Have you bought a Liberty bond or are you a slacker; a dodger, putrid flesh in the body of this government? How much money have you made on account of the war causing prices of lands, cattle, hogs, horses, grain and feed to advance and increase your property and opportunities? Have you refused to buy a Liberty bond and thrown the entire burden on others?

If you have bought a Liberty bond and did pay for it in full, then assign and deliver that bond as a credit for a part of what you justly owe God for the blessings He has bestowed on you. Give that bond as a part payment for what you are justly due to build the new church.

If you bought that Liberty bond on the installment plan, then you have paid only \$2.00 on the hundred for the amount of bonds you agreed to take and you can dispose of your rights in such bonds without paying out another cent. Do you claim that the government is entitled to all the money you have to spare at this time. Very well, we will concede that to you. If you have bought and paid for a Liberty bond, the church does not ask you to pay to it a single additional dollar—not one. Just deliver and assign that same bond to the church at its par value and you will get credit for the bond's face value on your amount due to build the church. Oh, no, we are not asking you to pay in any additional cash.

Is there any need or claim or call of God or government or humanity sufficient to open the purses of certain Methodists? The government has not yet put its iron hand on you as an individual to shake from you that which you call your own. But he will. Humanity, public sentiment may not have yet put its mark on you as an individual of a certain unworthy and detestable class to be isolated. But it will. These things come slow but sure. You can bear them before they come because you have not felt the chilling grip of that hand. You can bear them after they come because your blood is so cold and you are so low in the class of humanity that you care not. Is that any comfort?

When Rev. Wyatt returns to the Hereford station from the annual conference to begin his 1918 campaign for our new church building, we bet he is loaded to the guards with enthusiasm to finish the subscription for the new church before the holidays. We are going to build and hope the amount will be fully subscribed before Christmas day, altho it would seem powerful home-like for Pastor Wyatt to give us a good sermon on Christmas Day selecting as his text, Luke 20:25. Or Haggai 1:2-5. We believe we like the last text the best. Let us all take a vote on which text he shall preach from. Either of them are good.

Some members who would rather give up their hopes of heaven and rather trust the boys' and girls' souls to chance than to give up a part of their money offered as an excuse to delay the building that material and labor is too hard to get and too scarce at this time and too expensive. We ask all such, when will it be cheaper and more easily to secure. Not during the war—they don't claim that. Surely not after the war. For millions of men will be called to Europe to rebuild that devastated country in all lines. All the surplus material in this country will be needed in rebuilding there. Millions of men will have been slain and after the war laborers from all parts of the world must go there to take their place. Millions of property has been destroyed and material from all parts of the world must be sent there to rebuild. At this time no such labor is required and no such material is being used or can be used. After the war has ended, both labor and material will be in greater demand than it is today.

No, that is not their real reason for wishing to stop this building. It is merely a slacker's excuse, a miser's dodge. The others of you had as well realize the truth—that when the building is erected it will be without the consent, influence or aid of such members. Don't permit these few to strange and destroy the cause and church which you have solemnly promised your God to stand by. They will never be ready or willing to build, and whatever little pittance they may give will be of no material aid. Push them aside and go forward with the building NOW.

Members—Honor Roll

The following members have subscribed the full amount assessed for them to pay. Not only have they actually DELIVERED their notes to Treasurer of the Building Committee. We understand that some others have said they are ready to sign the notes, but they are settin' and settin' and SETTIN'. Some others have signed the notes but they have not been delivered to the Treasurer. Unless the notes are delivered to Mr. Parker, the treasurer, before Tuesday at noon, your names cannot be printed in this column.

Sign the notes and DELIVER them at once.

- ACKER, Clifford
- Anthony, W. B.
- Anthony, Mrs. W. B.
- Anthony, May
- Ashbrook, D. F.
- Ashbrook, Mrs. D. F.
- Betts, Ernest
- Betts, Mrs. Ernest
- Chenoweth, C. C.
- Chenoweth, Mrs. C. C.
- Clem, Nellie E.
- Forson, P. H.
- Forson, Mrs. P. H.
- Forson, Erma
- Fullwood, W. S.
- Hammer, Mrs. Dollie
- Hicks, C. M.
- Hicks, Mrs. C. M.
- Hughes, Mrs. J. A.
- Hughes, Mrs. G. A.
- Jacob, Rich. H.
- Landrums, L. P.
- Landrums, Mrs. L. P.
- Landrums, Oma
- Landrums, Mamie
- Landrums, Joe
- Potts, J. Frank
- Potts, Mrs. J. F.
- Price, Annie
- Ricketts, L. A.
- Ricketts, Mrs. L. A.
- Rolston, F. T.
- Rolston, Mrs. F. T.
- Snyder, Glenn
- Snyder, Mrs. Glenn
- Spratt, I. H.
- Spratt, Littlell
- Stocking, Roy
- Stocking, Mrs. Roy
- Walker, C. E.
- Walker, Mrs. C. E.
- Wilson, Kate
- Wyatt, Rev. G. S.
- Wyatt, Mrs. G. S.

And this above does not tell the whole story. These are others. As we have done heretofore in publishing the cash amounts which have been paid in, we did not give the names of all by quite a number who have paid in a part of their subscription. And we do not give the names of all who have signed and delivered the notes for the full amounts which was assessed against them.

This column will hold 152 names. Next week we want to have the 152 names in this column and thereby leave less than one column of names on the left side of this page. Sign the notes and deliver them to Mr. Parker before next Tuesday at noon. We are going to build.

LIBERTY BONDS

Would you be surprised to know that several hundreds of dollars in Liberty bonds have been promised as donations for the building of the church? It is a fact.

All those who have purchased Liberty bonds and intend to use them on payment of their subscriptions to the church building are requested to report this fact to Mr. Parker before next Tuesday at noon.

Of course you have not yet received your bond, but you are requested to report to Mr. Parker at once the number and denomination of bonds which you will assign to the church for the new building. Please give to Mr. Parker, the treasurer of the building committee, your name and the amount of the bonds which you will give when you receive them. Please give this information to Mr. Parker before next Tuesday noon.

If you want him removed, build the church, he will be back next year to finish the building of this house, thank God, and we are going to build.

"Should a Conqueror Tread on our Forefathers' Dust It Would Wake the Old Bones from their Graves." = BUY A LIBERTY BOND

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\$45,550.00 FOR DEAF SMITH LIBERTY BONDS SUBSCRIBED

Mass Meeting Tuesday Night Raised \$24,950. Total Amount for County \$121,000.00. Only One Week Remains and Great Drive Planned by Local Committees

The third week of the Second Liberty Loan drive finds right at \$1,000,000 subscribed over the entire United States with \$45,550 subscribed in Deaf Smith county, the greater part of it in Hereford. At a mass meeting held at the court house on Tuesday night and attended by only about 200 men, women and children, \$25,000 was subscribed, which, added to the amount which had been subscribed prior to that time brings the total to date up to \$45,550, or not quite half of the apportionment for Deaf Smith County. The quota for this county is \$121,000. If you will take your calendar you will see that just one week remains in which to raise the other half of this amount, since the money must be in by October 25th, in order to reach Dallas by the 27th. As stated above, most of the amount raised so far has come from the city of Hereford—alone, so when sales manager E. B. Posey calls on you for a car or to go in a car with others and help sell bonds to the farmers and stockmen over the county who are too busy to come in and buy them, don't you say no, but put on your coat and hat, close up your office, and go out and do a patriotic service for your country.

While the amount raised at the meeting Tuesday night is not enough even for Hereford itself, yet it was a good send-off and should prove an inspiration to the town and county to go to work in earnest and raise the full amount allotted to this county.

Subscribed at Meeting
Rev. W. M. Baker, Mrs. W. M. Baker, Paul and Loretta Baker, Sloss Baker, William Baker, Frankie Baker, Dorothy Boardman, J. H. Wagner, J. D. Thomson, Geo. A. Stambaugh, Geo. V. Stambaugh, J. Frank Potts, Hal Jewell, L. L. Jones, E. W. Harrison, D. C. Laird, W. H. Ray, G. W. Brumley, John Eades, Walter Spradley, Earl Gough, Jim Carroll, Mrs. L. R. Bradley, L. Baskin, Miss Mary Lee Pugh, H. L. Broadwell, G. A. F. Parker, J. M. Boone, W. E. Neal, J. M. Posey, H. C. Bowser, Mrs. Geo. A. Stambaugh, Mrs. W. A. Stewart, Mrs. J. P. Wilson, Mrs. McClurkin, Miss Mattie McClurkin, Miss Francis Damsdorf, R. J. Sanders, Senlar Class School, Ell Dunlap, Bonnie Brumley, L. M. Fertsch, Mrs. W. F. West, Jack West, Charlie Carroll, Tom Carroll, Paul Robertson, Berdillian Robertson, George Robertson, J. L. Wilson, Elmer Dameron, Delina Raynor.

TOTAL \$24,950.00
OTHER SUBSCRIPTIONS
Western National Bank, G. A. Stambaugh, Louis and Eugene Paul, Deaf (Continued on page two.)

C. E. CONVENTION ENDS ENTHUSIASTIC HEREFORD MEETING

What is said by those in attendance to have been one of the best conventions of the kind ever held, in point of enthusiasm, earnestness and what the delegates received from it, closed at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon when the Panhandle District Christian Endeavor Convention finally adjourned.

The convention was well attended, delegates being present from Spring Lake, Friona, Hurley, Dimmitt, Y-L, the Central Presbyterian church of Amarillo and the First Christian church of Amarillo. Local citizens aided the various committees in caring for and entertaining the visitors.

The convention started Friday evening with Professor L. M. Fertsch of Hereford leading the Devotional Service. Then came the address of welcome to the delegates by Miss Hallie Womack of Hereford with a response by Mr. Roy Brag, one of the Christian Endeavor State Secretaries.

The address of the evening was made by Mr. Howard Scott of Amarillo, his subject being "The Joy of a Common Service." This was one of the best addresses of the convention. The few who knew Mr. Scott were not even prepared for the message he brought. With his very able address Mr. Scott brought a wonderful and appealing personality.

Enjoy Social Hour
After Mr. Scott's address came a social hour that was enjoyed by all. The entertainment being furnished by the Presbyterian Society of Hereford.

Saturday morning program started at eight thirty o'clock with a quiet hour service led by Mr. Scott. Then from nine o'clock until noon a conference on Christian Endeavor was held by Mr. Brag concerning the field of Christian Endeavor activities.

Saturday afternoon Miss Vere of the Spring Lake community lead the Devotional Services.

The Officers reports came next with a report from each officer of the District.
Amarillo Makes Good Report
Then came the reports from the various Societies represented. The Society of the First Christian Church of Amarillo made one of the best reports of any society represented. They reported an increase in their (Continued on page two.)

"Something Doing Every Minute"

FIRST NAT'L BANK TO BUILD ADDITION AND STUCCO WALLS

Another big improvement in business property for Hereford has been announced. The First National Bank of Hereford is planning to build a two-story extension from the rear of the present structure entirely back to the alley, tearing away the present small one-roomed building now occupying part of this space. In addition, the outside walls of the entire building are to be pebble-dashed or stuccoed, the interior touched up, and a more modern front entrance installed.

The march of progress goes merrily on. "Everybody's join' it now." Hereford's "comeback" is steady, sure and built on a foundation of everlasting rock.

BOWERS TO IMPROVE NEW 80-ACRE FARM

J. H. Bowers now has plans drawn by Architect W. F. West for a modern six-room bungalow to be built on his 80-acre farm, one mile out on 25-mile Avenue. Mr. Bowers already has under construction a 32x30 foot barn on this place, besides other improvements.

KENTUCKY MAN TO SELL PLAINS LAND

A. B. Munsey, and Mrs. Munsey, formerly of Paris, Ky., arrived in the city Wednesday to take up their permanent residence. Mr. Munsey is a land man, and will be associated with Ed Connel in this business in the future.

FORMER PLAINS MAN VISITS OLD SCENES

G. F. Davis of San Diego, Calif., a former land owner of Castro county, is visiting in Hereford for a few days, on his return from a trip to his old home in Ohio and Nebraska. Mr. Davis has been busy hunting up old friends and acquaintances.

LIVE STOCK MOVEMENTS

Henry Wilkinson of the First State Bank & Trust Co., returned Wednesday from a trip to St. Louis and Kansas City. He was in the latter city during the great Stock Yards conflagration, which burned up half the Stock Yards, including 11,000 head of cattle and 3,200 hogs. Mr. Wilkinson states that W. L. Valentine, Metcalf, Powell and Cloyd, O. G. Hill and R. N. Mounts had cattle on the market at the time of the fire. Mr. Mounts, who had just shipped 20 cars, was lucky enough to have sold his stuff just a few hours before the alarm was turned in. The others' cattle were mixed up in the stampede, and adjustments have not yet been announced.

Ray Bruner shipped 15 cars of steers to Panhandle this week.
W. P. Larson received one car of Shetland ponies from the Panhandle Fair Association.
C. J. Norton received four registered bulls from the Panhandle Fair Association.

WHITE WAY PROBLEM UP TO COMMISSION

The White Way question has been put squarely up to the City Commission. Inquiries out regarding cost of standards, globes, wiring, and other incidents have all been answered. The dope is all on the Mayor's desk, and the next move is to place the orders. Wouldn't chamber lights at the intersection of each cross street on Main from the depot to the Christian church help?

BELGIAN SOLDIER EXPRESSES THANKS IN GOOD FRENCH

How patriotic bread cast upon the waters return to the giver fourfold was perhaps never better exemplified than in the case of a letter received last Saturday by W. D. Kellehor of Hereford. Several months ago Mr. Kellehor made a donation to the tobacco fund of the Belgian Relief Committee in New York. Saturday he received a letter from Belgium, written in French. Not being a French scholar Mr. Kellehor requested Father Campbell to translate the document, with the following result:
"Monsieur Kellehor:—
I have received your gift with joy and I am anxious to thank you for all the benefits with which you are helping upon your little Belgium friends. Be assured Sir, that the Belgians shall never forget what our bigger friends have done for us.
With wishes for a happy existence and that your rewards for your benefits may be a happy and long life.
Yours gratefully,
H. VAN EUGELOPOM,
Soldier—D 123—VI Company
Belgian Army.
17th of September, 1917."

ANOTHER GOOD MAN INVESTS HIS MONEY IN THIS SECTION

One of the largest deals in cattle and land leases reported in weeks occurred the past week when Claud Benton purchased the cattle and grass leases of Charles Pratt, Charles Hodges and F. R. Reed, consolidating the three purchases into one splendid ranch near Kelso. All told about a thousand head of live stock changed hands in this deal. Mr. Pratt received \$75 around for his cows, and \$35 for the calves.

CHAS. DONALD BUYS 911 HEAD CATTLE

During the past week Charles Donald received 375 yearling steers from Kelly & Bridges of Sudan; 200 yearling steers from Arthur Cotton of Brownfield; and 336 steer calves from A. B. Robertson, Slaton, exas. Mr. Donald is running this new stuff on his ranch northwest of Hereford.

NEW BRICK BUILDING PLANNED FOR MAIN

It is an open secret that plans are being drawn for a new brick building on Main street which, if approved, will result in a substantial addition to the business section of the town. The plans call for a 25x50 foot one-story building, which will fill an unsightly break in the Hereford skyline. Announcement of definite plans will be made by the owner of the property after the plans are inspected.

\$8,000.00 RESIDENCE PLANNED BY LAMBERT

A new \$8,000 residence, modern in every sense of the word, is being planned by Frank Lambert, to be built on the property west of the home of J. E. Ashbrook. The plans are now being drawn by Architect W. F. West. When completed this structure will be one of the handsomest homes in Hereford, and will add materially to the residential section of the city.

Recent shipments of live stock include:
One car of cows and one of bulls, shipped by J. W. Anderson to Holbrook, Arizona.
Four cars of steers to pasture in Kansas by Alex Lowrey, of Castro county.
One car of mules to Corsicana, by G. T. Higgins.
Seven cars of cattle to Panhandle, Texas, by C. R. Smith.
One car of mules to Corsicana, by S. J. Sanders.
One car hogs to Fort Worth by L. J. Crawford.
Judge L. Gough shipped a carload of fat hogs to the Fort Worth market Tuesday of this week.
Hicks & Jones sold a bunch of calves to a buyer from Silverton, Texas, Tuesday, at \$35 a head.

THE WEATHER

Flurries of snow fell at Hereford Thursday morning.
The U. S. Weather observer at New Orleans wired The Herald Thursday as follows:
"Much colder; below freezing, Friday A. M."

FEDERAL FOOD ADMINISTRATION APPOINTED FOR DEAF SMITH CO.

J. S. Jones Receives Telegram from Herbert C. Hoover to This Effect. Will Serve Under District Administrator Whaley—Will Meet Other County Chairmen at Amarillo Thursday to Plan Campaign

RED CROSS CLASS HAS TRAINED COACH; ONE SHIPMENT MADE

Mrs. E. E. Pickersel of Amarillo, who has been authorized by federal authorities to teach Red Cross Surgical Dressing work, is engaged daily at the courthouse in coaching fifteen volunteers from among the ladies of Hereford. It is a solemn sight to witness the class, seated around a long table, arrayed in head dress with the Blue Cross markings, silently and busily engaged in preparing the bandages which will in the near future go direct to France for the use of our soldier boys.

The personnel of the class: Mesdames W. F. Gabbert, R. M. Stocking, W. A. Pyice, D. F. Ashbrook, J. H. Pittman, Abbie Collins, A. L. Gibson, Homer Fox, Seth E. Holman, G. A. F. Parker, Ed Connel, Don Sowers, G. Y. Barber, Misses Julian Lambert and Ina Gregg.

The A. R. C. Chapter of Deaf Smith county shipped their first box of supplies to Division Headquarters at St. Louis, Mo., Monday, October 15. The box contained the following articles:

- 45 Suits Pajamas.
- 24 Operating Leggins.
- 24 Operating Gowns for Doctors and Nurses.
- 24 Hospital Bed Soaks.
- 20 Hospital Bed Shirts.
- 24 Hot Water Bag Covers.
- 24 Ice Bag Covers.
- 24 Towels.
- 24 Napkins.
- 12 Handkerchief Substitutes.
- 12 Comfort Bags to be filled at headquarters.
- 3 Comfort Bags ready filled.

KNITTED ARTICLES
11 Sweaters.
11 Mufflers.
14 Pair Socks.
3 pair Short Wristlets.
12 pair Long Wristlets.
The Supply Committee have on hand 3 dozen finished Comfort Bags. These required articles to fill one of these bags cost \$1.35 at Headquarters. Won't you contribute that much to this committee who are anxious to send these bags in the next shipment which will be Saturday, October 20th. There is still sewing to be done at Headquarters and all unfinished work out should be finished and sent in by Saturday noon.
The headquarters will be open for (Continued on page four)

J. S. Jones, of Hereford, has been named County Chairman for Deaf Smith County in the Federal Food Administration. A telegram to this effect has been received by him from Herbert C. Hoover, National Federal Food Administrator, Washington, D. C. He will have entire charge of the work in this county, and is to attend a meeting of county chairmen from this the 8th District of Texas at Amarillo, October 18th.

At this meeting plans will be placed under way for the pledge card campaign in the Panhandle country, and full instructions will there be given. The Panhandle is apportioned a little over 30,000 pledges, and Deaf Smith County's part of this grand total is 820. This number is estimated to represent the number of families in the county. However the figure is based upon the population of the county in 1910, and it is known that the number is now larger.

Upon Mr. Jones' return from the Amarillo meeting, he will organize the county by precincts or school districts, as may seem best, and every effort will be made to see that Deaf Smith County completes her apportionment. Surely there should be no trouble in getting practically all the heads of families in the county to sign the pledge cards. Mr. Hoover in his telegram stated that the war would be won by food. If America will conserve her food, we shall win the war. It is therefore the patriotic duty of everyone to conserve food.

Houston, Texas, October 13, 1917.

TO THE EDITORS OF TEXAS:
Federal Food Administrator, H. A. Pedon, has completed organization of his administration for Texas, and his offices are now upon the Fifth Floor of the Chronicle Building, Houston, Texas. Among the first steps toward organization was the creation of an Executive Committee. This Executive Committee is representative of all Texas, and is made up of the following men and women:
Dr. W. B. Hissell, Chairman, College Station.
Dr. R. E. Vinson, Austin.
Frank Kell, Wichita Falls.
R. H. McDill, Dallas.
Wm. D. Cleveland, Jr., Houston.
T. O. Walton, College Station.
R. H. Wofford, Dallas.
Caesar Kleberg, Kingsville.
D. C. Giddings, Brenham.
Mesdames:
Fred Fleming, Dallas.
Walter B. Sharp, Houston.
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Watch the bulletin board which the committee has erected at the corner of Third and Main to record the progress of the loan subscriptions.

Do you, a citizen of the United States, want to lend your money to the government at a fair rate of interest, or do you want the government to take it from you in exorbitant taxes?

The meeting Tuesday night was probably the best attended and certainly the most peppery and enthusiastic meeting which has been held in Hereford in some time. There were speeches, there was oratory, and there was pure old unadulterated American patriotism exhibited such as would have aroused the shades of a Washington or a Lincoln. Who said patriotism and oratory were dead? Then you should have been there to hear the masterful addresses made by Mayor Wm. M. Knight and G. A. F. Parker. Others who made the eagle scream and roused the meeting with their fiery oratory were Rev. J. E. McClurkin, Rev. W. M. Baker, and Carl Gilliland. You missed a treat if you were not there.

The United States has entered the war to win. The government is pledged to put a force of 500,000 trained fighting men in the field in France within the next 6 months. Following is a summary of some of the things the United States will HAVE TO DO to get this army to France and maintain it.

Two hundred and fifty ships will be needed for transporting troops and supplies.

Harbors, wharves, docks and thousands of acres of warehouses must be built.

Thousands of miles of railroad lines must be built in the section of France to be occupied by the Americans.

One thousand American locomotives and 40,000 cars specially built to pass over the French roads, will be required.

Sixteen thousand five hundred men will be needed to turn French forests into lumber and cordwood for heating purposes.

One hundred and seventy-two thousand five hundred men will be needed for other forms of labor, skilled and unskilled.

Two million five hundred thousand pounds of food daily will be required for the fighting forces and all other workers must also be fed.

All the food and clothing for the men in France must come from the United States.

Three million barrels of gasoline will be used each month.

Twelve thousand five hundred electrical men will be needed to install a complete telegraph and telephone system in a territory as large as the state of Pennsylvania. Thousands of miles of wire and cable will be used.

Fifty-six thousand five hundred doctors will be needed in the hospitals, where there will be 22,000 iron beds and 114,000 tons of medical supplies will be used.

Three thousand airplanes will be manned by 58,000 trained experts. These figures are taken from an article in the current number of the Saturday Evening Post by George Fatsis, who secured his data from experts of the allied armies.

The United States will send this army to France and maintain it. Billions of dollars will be required for this undertaking. The government will secure this money by taxation. There are no other alternatives.

ENDEAVOR CONVENTION

(Continued from page one.)

Society from twelve in July to twenty-six at the last Prayer Meeting.

Department work was then taken up by Mr. Breg. Each Department being assigned to some member active in that line.

Quiet Hour—Mr. Spencer, Spring Lake

Tenth Legion—Miss Giltner, Amarillo.

Efficiency—Hicks Daniel, Amarillo.

Citizenship—B. B. Holland, Amarillo.

Press—Miss Hallie Womack, Hereford.

Intermediate—Miss Perry, Amarillo.

War Program—Rev. Nance, Hereford.

Missionary—Rev. Baker, Hereford.

Evangelism—Mr. Clary, Amarillo.

Devotional Service

Saturday evening the devotional services were led by Miss Hallie Womack of Hereford. Then an address by Mr. Clary of Amarillo, his subject being "For or Against." Mr. Clary held the convention for nearly an hour with one of the best appeals to the young people ever heard.

Sunday morning the delegates went to their various churches for Sunday School, and returned to the Presbyterian Church for the Convention program beginning at 1 o'clock.

Great Songs Sung

Miss Jane Gregg sang "The Saviour Who Loves You," after which came an address by Prof. F. L. Duffot of the Amarillo High School, his subject being "A World Citizen." The Sunday afternoon service, which was the greatest of them all, began with devotional service led by Hicks Daniel of Amarillo. Then came an address by the District President, T. Pryce Metcalf, who had been absent from the Convention thus far.

After the President's address came the installation of the newly elected officers. Mr. Metcalf as president, Mr. Daniel, Vice President; Miss Carter, treasurer, Miss May Turner, Chairman of Extension, Mr. Holland, Chairman of the Press.

Then came the decision of the Banner Contest, the banner going to the society of the First Christian Church of Amarillo, who had twenty two delegates present, which was 75 per cent of their membership. The Banner had been held two years by the Hereford Society.

Mr. Breg then took charge of the Convention in the interest of the Pledges of the different societies and individuals for the State Work of the Christian Endeavor. There was \$350.00 raised for State Work by the Panhandle District. Next was an address by Prof. F. L. Duffot, his subject, "Finding One's Self." This was one of the best of the Convention. Prof. Duffot covered the field of services, and showed why there was so much more joy in finding one's self in the service for others than in selfishness.

Resolutions

After this came the Resolutions Committee report. The following resolutions were offered and adopted by the Convention:

I. Be it resolved that this Convention register a vote of thanks to the young people's society of the First Presbyterian Church of Hereford for their splendid entertainment and also the hearty support given, the Convention. And especially for the Chautauqua Friday evening at which time everyone was so royally entertained. Furthermore we wish to sincerely thank the people of Hereford for their splendid entertainment in their homes.

II. Be it resolved that this Convention appreciates and thanks Mr. Roy Breg for his interest, enthusiasm and help given freely to the young people's interest in Christian Endeavor, which has inspired and made possible the success of this convention.

III. Be it resolved that this convention appreciates and thanks Mr. Howard Scott of Amarillo, Mr. W. M. Clary of Amarillo, Prof. F. L. Duffot of Amarillo and Rev. W. M. Baker of Hereford for their splendid addresses and hearty support of the Convention. Be it further resolved that this Convention appreciates and thanks Mr. Hicks Daniel, our vice president who has so ably and enthusiastically presided in the absence of voted that this convention tender a vote of thanks to our president, Mr. Metcalf for his efforts to be present at this the last session of the convention.

IV. Be it finally resolved that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to each of the speakers named and a copy published in the local paper.

Asks Liquor Prohibition

Then the following special resolution was read by Mr. Holland and adopted by the Convention.

"Be it resolved: that we, the Christian Endeavors of the Panhandle District of Texas, in Convention assembled, petition President as follows:

ent at this the last session of the convention.

That inasmuch as our country is giving her men, money, food stuffs and supplies to help the cause of Democracy and the Allies, and that since we, in this country, have seen fit to prohibit the sale of liquor to any man in uniform or at any military camp. We respectfully ask that our Allies, who have United States men stationed within their borders, prohibit the sale of liquor in or near any Military Camp to any man in uniform. Signed: Panhandle District, Christian Endeavors of Texas.

After a short talk by Mr. Breg concerning the Delegates and members to a greater service for God in the coming year, the Convention adjourned with their Misspah benediction.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Resound Rest. 50c.



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Where is the increased revenue coming from to meet these enormous appropriations? Do you realize that the funds of the state are being spent like water? Read all about it in

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Find out why taxes are so high—higher than ever before. Find out where all the money goes. Then get out and DO something about it.

Senator Willacy's astounding story "The Heavy Hand of Invisible Rule" beginning in the Oct. 20th issue will open your eyes to the way the people of Texas are being mugged, it will show you just how the money that you sweat and struggle to make is being squandered by the insidious forces that control this state. It is something that every man who pays taxes wants to know and ought to know. Nobody has ever dared to publish these facts before. The only way to learn them is from the pages of FARM AND RANCH.

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PHONE
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PHONE
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E. W. HARRISON

MAKE YOUR OWN SILO

Homemade Structure Recommended as Good and Cheap Means To Help Reduce Feed Bills

The silo was never so available to the farmer as it is now in furnishing one of the best means of reducing feed bills. It can be made on the farm with little trouble, of either wood or concrete, says the United States Department of Agriculture, which will furnish plans and specifications without cost. Where there is no silo, or when another is needed, the department recommends the building and filling of one before frost comes.

Advantages of the Silo

Among the advantages claimed for the silo, particularly at this time when the high price of grain threatens the very existence of the dairy industry, is that less grain may be fed without reducing milk production, provided the dairyman feeds more silage and less grain. It is pointed out that the building of silos at this time is like the building of ships or fortifications; the silo will help to win the war because it means the saving of grain. Less grain is available for the feeding of cattle, since it is needed for human food and must be conserved for that need. Yet milk production must be maintained, and this can be done by supplementing a shortened grain ration with silage.

The silo offers the best way of preserving the mature corn crop, 40 per cent of the food value of which is in the stalks and leaves. It also serves the crop which, for any reason, must be harvested before it is mature. When the farmer harvests only the ears of corn he loses nearly half the value of the crop; when he puts it into the silo the loss is very small. When drought, frost, or insects threaten a field of corn before it is ripe the entire crop may be lost unless the farmer has a silo ready in which to preserve it.

Value of Succulence

Just as fruits and green vegetables are canned to supply succulence to the family during the winter, the silo supplies succulence to the cow, and succulence adds to the milk flow. The abundant milk flow obtained from pasture is, to a large extent, due to the juices of the grass; the silo provides a similar succulence during winter, when pasture is no available. It promotes the health of dairy cattle by providing the coarse feed to which the digestive system of the cow is accustomed. Cows like silage, and no other feed combines so well with dry hay and grain to produce much milk at little cost.

Types of Silos Recommended

The four types of silos recommended for home construction are the concrete, the stave, the modified Wisconsin, and the wooden-hoop type, all of which preserve silage equally well. The concrete silo has the advantage in permanence and stability but has a higher initial cost. The stave silo is cheaply, easily, and quickly constructed, and there are more of them in the United States than of any other type.

The modified Wisconsin is made of boards nailed laterally on the inside of studding placed in the form of a circle, and is said to be more substantial than the stave silo. The wooden-hoop silo requires somewhat less material than either of the other two types of wooden silos, and may be built of 1 by 4 tongue-and-groove flooring, with hoops of some-grown material, such as oak, elm, ash, or chestnut, from the farm wood lot.

Anyone who desires to build a silo should call on the extension department of his State agricultural college for any assistance that may be needed. If the college is unable to give the desired help, the United States Department of Agriculture will furnish, free of cost, bills of materials and specifications for various dimensions of any of the silos.

GIRLS' CHORUS IS ORGANIZED TO SING FOR THEIR COUNTRY

Even the little girls are doing their part in the great war drive. Sixteen little school misses, coached by Miss Clyde Wilson, have been practicing patriotic songs for weeks in order to be able to sing for any public gathering of a patriotic nature while the war lasts.

The singers were organized and trained as a part of the work of the Publicity Committee of the County Council of Defense. They are ready for the call of County Chairman (Elmer) whenever he finds work for them to do. Last Tuesday night they made their first public bow at the mass meeting in the interests of Liberty Bond campaign. The Personnel of the chorus follows: Virginia Laird, Eloyse Pittman, Beulah Lee Rutherford, Mary Pauline Ray, Gwendolyn Pries, Lucille Hicks, Grace Ferguson, Mary McDonald, Dorothy Barber, Elizabeth Stogall, Georgia Karr, Nona Brazil, Maurine Hughes, Virginia Stubbs, Frances Wilson, Kathleen Hawkins.

The songs that are sung are: "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," "Star Spangled Banner," "Keep the Home-Fires Burning," "U. S. A. Forever," "We Take Our Hats off to You, Mr. Wilson."

They will learn other songs, and other kinds of entertainment, all along, in order to have something ready for any mass meeting or patriotic meeting as long as the war lasts.

Poultry Hints

By F. W. Kasmeler, Poultry Husbandman, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.
Winter Eggs.—The first requisite for getting egg production is good stock. Careful experiments prove that stock bred for many years for egg production lay more eggs than mixed stock. Some hens, instead of converting surplus feed into eggs, turn it into fat which makes them lazy. Others have too small a capacity to lay much. Still others are constitutionally weak and

break down under the strain of heavy egg production. Get a heavy laying strain of hens if you want heavy egg production, especially during fall and winter.

What Breeds Are Best.—The small breeds generally are considered most economical year-round egg producers, but it has been found that the medium weight breeds, like the Rocks, Reds, Wyandottes and Orpingtons are good winter layers. They are not so easily upset by cold winds and rain.

Ration For Egg Production.—An egg is composed of 65.7 per cent water, 11.4 per cent protein, 12.2 per cent ash and 8.9 per cent fat. The composition of an egg is the same in California, Texas and New York. The hen cannot change the composition of her product and she cannot make something out of nothing. Before she can lay an egg she must have the proper amounts of the various ingredients of an egg. If she has not enough of the right kind of food to make an egg she waits un-

til she gets it before laying. If your hens are not laying, make up your mind that they are waiting for something you forgot to provide.

Protein for Hens.—Our common grains are deficient in protein and it must be supplied in the form of pure beef scraps, meat scraps, milk, green cut bone, blood meal or cooked jack rabbits. All these feeds should be fresh and pure, otherwise they will cause trouble. Do not feed tankage.

Succulent Feed.—Nature provides grasses and tender shoots to supply succulence to laying hens. In winter, when these tender shoots are not available, feed sprouted oats, cabbage, mangels, beets and the like.

Mineral Matter.—Nature provides gravel and coarse sand to supply fowls with something with which to grind their feed and supply the ash. When these are not available, feed commercial grit, oyster shell and granulated bone.

Community Co-Operation

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Did you ever hear of a live town or a live community in which the merchants were not as a body both prosperous and progressive?

Community buying and selling simply means the trading of money from one interest to another, thereby keeping as large per cent as possible of locally produced wealth at home.

Take for example your expenditures with our dry goods merchant. He in turn patronizes the grocer, druggist, hardware dealer, doctor, lawyer, dentist, etc. Then, too, the salaries of his employees are also to a large extent spent with various local establishments.

Also in localities where home trading is practiced, merchants purchase many local products, thus turning

back to patrons some of the money spent by them.

No one wants to live in a dead community, and it would do well to bear in mind the fact that upon the amount of business transacted by your merchant depends the development of the community as well as the prosperity of the citizen.

You can, except in rare instances, spend your money in your home stores as advantageously as elsewhere, as even the smallest merchants, as a rule, carry standard brands in all lines.

Nearly everything we produce in the Southwest is bringing banner prices and we should keep as much of this wealth as possible in the localities in which it is created.

NOTICE

The law requires all motor vehicles to be equipped with two white lights in front and one red light in the rear, visible five hundred feet. The white light must not be capable of producing a dazzling light or glare.

The speed limit is fifteen miles per hour in the business part of town and eighteen miles at other places.

The use of muffler cut-outs is prohibited. Sounding a horn or gong except to give a necessary warning of danger is prohibited.

Leaving a car unattended with the motor running is prohibited.

R. F. BRAZIL, City Marshal.

To the Ladies of Hereford:

You are extended a most cordial invitation to call on us and inspect our new Fall line of Suits, Coats, Blouses, Petticoats, Camisoles, Fancy Dress Skirts, Hats, Veils and Laces.

Complete line of Fancy Silks and Woolen Dress Goods.

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CONVENTIONS, AS A RULE, are eagerly sought for by competitive cities, for their advertising value. Conventions where large numbers of delegates attend also leave some money in the place of congregation, although the entertainment expense usually outweighs this feature.

IF THE MEN OF DEAF SMITH COUNTY were only half as alive to the duty of the situation as are their women-folk, what a glorious showing would be made in the Second Liberty Loan campaign!

CAMP BOWIE SOLDIERS, drawing \$30 per month, are subscribing by thousands to the Second Liberty Loan, payable \$12.50 per month.

LOCAL STOCKMEN appear to be deriving considerable amusement out of the expression "two-year-old yearlings" used in The Brand last week.

OBSERVATION OF REV. GABE TUCKER

You may notch it on de palm's as a mighty reeky plan To make your judgment by de clo'es dat kivers up a man;

I think a man has got a mighty slender chance for Heben Dat holds onto his piety but one one day out o' seven;

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

MRS. F. W. PRICE, Phone 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Donald's beautiful home on Lake Street, was the scene of a pleasant social event on Saturday evening.

An elaborate social event of the past week, honoring Rev. and Mrs. Faris, was the 6 o'clock dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Guthrie.

Rev. and Mrs. Faris, who are leaving Hereford for a several months' sojourn at southern resorts, have been the recipients of numerous social functions the past week.

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STAR THEATRE OFFERINGS

Barney Williams, with the Miss Oklahoma Company, is at the Star Theatre for the week ending Saturday, October 20.

The Star Theatre is offering an unusually attractive picture for next Monday and Tuesday in The Slacker.

Marguerite Christy and Robert Wallace have been engaged for two years, but still he does not ask her to set a date for the wedding.

RED CROSS CLASS HAS TRAINED COACH

(Continued from page one) sewing each afternoon with a directress in charge.

The Chapter met at the Courthouse Monday evening, Oct. 15th.

The nominations presented by the Nominating Committee were accepted and elections announced as follows:

Mrs. W. F. Gabbert, Chairman. Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, Vice-Chairman. Mr. F. T. Tolson, Sec'y.

FAREWELL RECEPTION GIVEN BY REV. AND MRS. FARIS' FRIENDS

When it became known last week that Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Faris would leave Hereford, for the winter at any rate, a number of their friends planned a citizens' meeting in their honor at the Court House Monday night.

Rev. W. M. Baker acted as master of ceremonies and eulogistic talks were made by G. A. F. Parker, Hon. John P. Slaton, and Rev. J. E. McClurkin.

Dr. and Mrs. Faris left on the train Tuesday morning for Ennis and other South Texas points, stopping on their way for the fair at Dallas.

Looks like four more blocks of good, improved highway!

Lee Biggs Becomes Assistant to Thompson in County Clerk's Office

Beginning this month Lee Biggs has been employed by county clerk, A. O. Thompson to assist him in the work of that office.

GOVERNOR STUBBS OF KANSAS IS IN OPTIMISTIC MOOD

Governor W. R. Stubbs, of Kansas, and Hereford, is mingling with friends and transacting business in town this week.

Tuesday Mr. Huffman met Division Engineer Whyman of the Santa Fe and the two went over the grounds carefully, made a profile of the street, and will together work out and submit to the Commission two or possibly three plans for the improvement desired.

Coming—Star Theatre, Monday & Tuesday, Oct. 22-23

"The Slacker"

Tears, cheers, and patriotic fervor that will thrill the spine of the nation. The United States Government contracted for one copy of "THE SLACKER" for four months.

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was instituted and before final judgment the said E. Van Metre, Sam S. Wright and J. W. Wright, acting by their attorney in fact, E. Van Metre, sold to defendant the S E fourth of Sec. 17 and conveyed to him by quit claim deed, which was recorded in Vol. 16 at page 268 deed records Deaf Smith County, Texas.

That, said deed and the record thereon create and cast an apparent cloud on the title of plaintiff to said S E fourth of said section.

Plaintiff prays that it have its judgment cancelling said deed to the defendant and removing said cloud from its title, and for costs or suit and etc.

HEREIN FAIL NOT. And have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, this, the 19th day of September, A. D., 1917. [Seal] A. O. THOMPSON, Clerk District Court Deaf Smith County, Texas. 36-4t

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Deaf Smith County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Deaf Smith if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 69th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 69th judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof.

Smith McLeroy whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Deaf Smith at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, on the fifth Monday in October, 1917, which is the 29th day of October, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 2nd day of April A. D., 1917, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1078, wherein Grace McLeroy is plaintiff, and Smith McLeroy is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

That, on or about the 10th day of June, 1907, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, the plaintiff then a single woman by name of Grace Robinson, was lawfully married to defendant, Smith McLeroy, that they continued to live together as husband and wife till on or about March 1st, 1913, when, from no cause or fault on the part of plaintiff, the defendant, Smith McLeroy, deserted and abandoned the plaintiff, and has from said date refused to support, or contribute to the support of plaintiff; that during the time they lived together as husband and wife, plaintiff was kind and affectionate towards defendant and treated him as a dutiful wife should, but defendant unkindly of his marital obligations and vows, did as aforesaid on or about March 1st, 1913, and without cause or provocation on the part of plaintiff, abandon said plaintiff as aforesaid, and has since that date wholly failed and refused to live with plaintiff and to provide in any manner to her support and maintenance; that, plaintiff will show that to said union and marriage two children were born, to-wit: Mildred McLeroy, a girl now nine years old, and Bonnie Zoe, a girl seven years old, and that the marriage heretofore solemnized between plaintiff and defendant still exists.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays, that defendant be cited, by publication to appear and answer to this petition as the law directs, and for dissolution of such marriage relations, and for custody, charge and control of said two children herein above named, for costs of suit, and such other relief in law, or equity she may be justly entitled to.

HEREIN FAIL NOT. And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, this, the 8th day of September, A. D., 1917. [Seal] A. O. THOMPSON, Clerk District Court Deaf Smith County, Texas. 36-4t

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P. I. Fulton whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Deaf Smith at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, on the fifth Monday in October, 1917, which is the 29th day of October, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 12th day of July, A. D., 1910, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 344, wherein The First National Bank of Hereford is plaintiff, and P. I. Fulton is defendant.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

The plaintiff alleges that defendant executed a note payable to plaintiff for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) dated May 25, 1909, due ninety days after date, bearing interest from maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, payable annually, and also a note for Eighty-six Dollars and Sixteen Cents (\$86.16), dated December 25, 1909, due thirty days after date, bearing interest from maturity at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, for that each of said notes provided for the payment of 10 per cent additional on principal and interest, as attorneys fees if default is made in the payment of said notes at maturity, and each of said notes payable at the banking house of plaintiff, in Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges that neither of said notes, no interest or attorney's fees have been paid.

Plaintiff further alleges that to secure the payment of the said notes for

\$500.00 the defendant executed and delivered to J. L. Fuqua his certain deed of trust and in said deed of trust was described certain lands as being 75 feet out of the west half of block No. 1, of Whitehead addition to the town of Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, which said description in said deed of trust was a mutual mistake on the part of both grantor and grantee and beneficiary, it being understood by said parties, and intended by them that said deed of trust should convey a part of section 61, block K-3, to-wit: All of lot No. 10, and the south half of lot No. 11, in block No. 1, of the town of Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and that the mistake in said description, was that of the party drawing said instrument:

Plaintiff prays for judgment on its notes, principal, interest and attorneys fee, for reformation of said deed of trust to show the correct description of the land intended to be conveyed for foreclosure of said deed of trust thereon and cost of suit.

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Tom Witherspoon, Vance Witherspoon, Mrs. Myrtle Griffith, J. H. Griffith, Ollie Newbrough, W. K. Newbrough, E. M. Newbrough, and John Newbrough, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Deaf Smith at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, on the fifth Monday in October, 1917, which is the 29th day of October, 1917, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 1st day of October A. D., 1917, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1108, wherein B. C. Roberson et al plaintiffs, and J. B. Roberson et al defendants.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiffs sued the defendants for a partition of the north half of block No. 7, of Welsh Add. to the town of Hereford, in Deaf Smith County, Texas, containing ten acres, and the west half of section 16, block B, School File 1239, in Deaf Smith and Parmer Counties, Texas, containing 320 acres, alleging that the plaintiffs and defendants are joint owners of said land, owning the same jointly, the plaintiffs and defendants J. B. Roberson and D. B. Roberson, each own a one-seventh undivided interest therein and that the defendants, Lena V. Roberson, Ray Roberson, and Charley Roberson, each own a one-twenty-first undivided interest therein and that the defendants, Tom Witherspoon, Vance Witherspoon, Myrtle Griffith, and John Newbrough, each own a one-thirty-fifth undivided interest therein. Plaintiffs charge that said land is not susceptible to partition in kind, and prays that the same be decreed to be sold and the proceeds partitioned among the respective owners in accordance with their respective interests and in the alternative if the court should find it can be partitioned in kind that it be so partitioned.

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The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff, C. L. Hills, who resides in the town of Jamestown, State of Kansas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of E. Van Metre, Sam S. Wright, and J. W. Wright, who resides in the County of Cedar, State of Iowa, the American Canadian Land Co., a co-partnership composed of the said Van Metre, Sam S. Wright, and J. W. Wright, Clarence

E. Deets, R. M. Hempy, R. Tagge, and E. M. Duke, the residence of whom is unknown hereinafter called defendants, would respectfully show to the court that plaintiff is now and has at all times referred to herein been the owner in fee simple, of the title to the following described lands situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and being all of section 84, block K-5, original grantee G. B. & C. N. G. R. Co., containing 640 acres, also all of section 85, block K5 original grantee G. B. & C. N. G. R. Co., containing 640 acres:

That on the first day of April, 1913, the plaintiff was in the possession of said premises and was then and is now entitled to the possession thereof, and now withhold from plaintiff the possession of said premises.

Plaintiff would further show to the court that he owned said land in fee simple, and that he derelinquted his title through a regular chain from the State of Texas, and that the defendants and each of them claim and assert some title or interest thereto the nature of which plaintiff does not know, but plaintiff says that any title, claim or right that the defendants or either of them, has in and to said land is inferior to plaintiff's title, thereof, and the claim and assertion thereof, creates a cloud on plaintiff's title.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition and on final hearing hereof, he have his judgment against the defendants and each of them for the title and possession of said lands, for costs of suit, and such other and further relief, both special and general and in law or in equity, plaintiff may show himself entitled to.

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known heirs of J. H. Wills, Josh Edgins, P. C. Ridings, J. P. McLaren, L. A. Montgomery, James Stovall, Mrs. J. N. Ivey and Mrs. Alice B. Beverly are Defendants, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand being as follows: Suit in trespass to try title and to obtain possession of Section No. 89, in Block K-7, in Deaf Smith County, Texas.

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Must be supported generously, both morally and financially by the people it serves.

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is under new management, free from any entangling alliances, without prejudices, with the sole purpose in view of printing ALL the news that IS news---in other words, a good, readable paper that the people will be proud of.

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Family Dr says: Our Beauty Preparations will help you to have pearly teeth, clear skin and abundant beautiful Hair



THEN YOU WANT TO COME AND GET OUR "BEAUTY" PREPARATIONS. THEY CONTAIN NO HARMFUL INGREDIENTS AND WILL GIVE VIGOR TO YOUR HAIR, SOFTNESS TO YOUR SKIN AND SWEETNESS TO YOUR BREATH.

HER HAIR AND COMPLEXION ARE THINGS A WOMAN SHOULD NOT NEGLECT. IT IS SO MUCH EASIER TO "PREVENT" HAIR FROM FALLING THAN TO RESTORE IT WHEN IT COMES OUT. SKIN CAN BE "KEPT" SOFT EASIER THAN MADE SOFT.

LET US FURNISH YOUR TOILET ARTICLES AND PREPARATIONS; THEN YOU CAN "RELY" ON WHAT YOU BUY.

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Suits and Dresser cleaned and pressed, \$1.00. Beene & Bennett's Tailor Shop. 38-4f

Work called for and delivered promptly. Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 33-4f

Walter Caylor and Homer Gilliland were visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

If you have City property for sale list it with us. If you want to buy City property call on us. ASHBROOK & SUGGS, 36-4f First State Bank Bldg.

E. Renfro left Tuesday for Mineral Wells and the Dallas Fair.

Diamond mountings, brooch and ring mountings for special stones made to order. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

It will be largely to your advantage to see us when you contemplate buying anything in the Hardware line. WALKER HDW. CO., 11. P. W. Price, Receiver.

Jno. Sherman is away on a business trip to Arizona this week.

We make a specialty of first class cleaning, pressing and repairing. Phone 100. Beene & Bennett's 36-4f

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ricketts of Berryville, Ark. are here on a visit with relatives.

We sell the best Kitchen Cabinets in the World—at Wilson's New Furniture Store. 35-4f

Notice Dr. G. W. Heard, Dentist, failed to get away on his vacation last week, as announced. 41-4f

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Nicks motored to Amarillo to attend the Fair Saturday.

We frame pictures. Wilson's Furniture Store. 35-4f

J. G. Lakeman of Mexico, Mo., is in town on business this week.

Eyes tested and glasses fitted. Your money back, if you are not satisfied. 37-4f. W. H. RAY.

W. B. Conwell, Train Master for the Santa Fe, was looking over this division of the road Friday.

Our equipment for testing eyes and fitting glasses is the very best. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

T. J. Hobbs of Sheridan, Mo., spent several days in this section the past week prospecting, and may locate here.

Have your old style plain ring made into a "new model". We will use your own gold, and do the work in our own shop. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

J. H. Foster has gone to Georgetown, Texas, to spend the winter.

"We are never satisfied unless you are." Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 33-4f

We have an optical room built and equipped for the very latest and scientific methods of testing eyes. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

Chas. E. Harding, of Chicago, owner of the Green Valley Ranch east of town, is a Hereford visitor this week.

Will sell or trade for cattle, 6 good work horses and mules, one Grant Six car and one two-row lister. Phone 60. 37-4f

Everybody says Perfector Flour can't be beat; get a sack and save money. HEREFORD PRODUCE CO., 11. I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

You cannot afford to miss the opportunity of saving money on your purchases that we offer you. You will be disappointed if you buy before seeing us. WALKER HDW. CO., 11. P. W. Price, Receiver.

War prices largely overcome by our method of buying and selling. See us before you buy. WALKER HDW. CO., 11. P. W. Price, Receiver.

Hereford Poultry, Cream, and Produce Company

We want your poultry, eggs, cream and produce. Come and get the cash. 18-4f. I. H. SPRATT.

City Secretary Crouch wore the smile that won't come off Monday morning. It was all caused by the arrival of an eight pound boy at his home. Mr. Crouch was busy receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends all day Monday.

We have a few Colorado Potatoes left. Come and get your winter supply while they are worth the money, \$2.65 per hundred lbs. HEREFORD PRODUCE CO., 11. I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

We have the price right on House Furnishings—at Wilson's. 35-4f

Do your eyes hurt, or your head ache when you read? If so, you ought to have your eyes tested. The chances are you need glasses, or your glasses don't fit you. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

Clarendon ions of Amarillo was a Hereford visitor Wednesday.

See our new line of Chinaware. We know it will delight you. SKELTON.

If you have not tried the Perfector Flour try one sack and you will always boost Perfector that sells worth the money. None better on the market. HEREFORD PRODUCE CO., 11. I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

Improved Ranch for Sale

520 acres section 14, block 5 B, HAGEN, 12 miles west from Canyon, Texas, 220 acres in cultivation, 100 acres wheat, 30 acres rye, 5 room house, 3000 bushel granaries, big barn and sheds, two big henhouses, shallow water. Immediate possession.

Also 100 head cattle, 50 head horses and mules, Jack, Stallion, machinery, 200 acres feed, section lease. Good terms. WILLIAM ASH, Owner. 38-4f Canyon, Texas.

Ladies' coat suits and skirts cleaned and pressed. All work guaranteed. Phone 100. Beene & Bennett. 36-4f

Take your broken windshields to SKELTON. 11

Job Printing! The Brand carries column after column of news to over a thousand subscribers weekly. The Brand is doing its "bit" toward bringing the Hereford section to the attention of the investors of the country. In return we ask at least a share of the local job work. THE BRAND.

21 Jewel Elgin watches in 20 year case while they last at \$22.50. 37-4f. W. H. RAY.

For Sale

Good 4-room house, close in, good location; lot 100x140 ft. of city sewer; has nice trees and out buildings. Price \$300.00. Good terms. 35-4f. W. H. West.

Mrs. A. W. McDuff and baby are on a visit to friends and relatives at Memphis, Texas.

We will have our third car of flour in this week, which makes three cars in twenty days. Trade with the firm that make the price worth trading. HEREFORD PRODUCE CO., 11. I. H. Spratt, Mgr.

We have the largest line of dishes in town. SKELTON. 11

Job Printing! Letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, statement blanks, Legal Supplies. Everything in the printing line for the office. THE BRAND.

Let Beene & Bennett renovate your suits. All work guaranteed. Phone 100. 36-4f

Job Printing! We carry the best equipped line of stationery and type for Job Work in the Panhandle. Prices right. THE BRAND.

We clean ladies' dresses where others fail. Phone No. 16. ORR'S TAILOR SHOP. 33-4f

Home for Sale

One of the best built houses in Hereford, ten rooms with bath, hot and cold water, private high pressure water system. Four lots, each 50x200 with fruit and shade trees, shed and garage. 36-3f. H. L. RICE.

We now carry a fine line of aluminum ware that is guaranteed for 25 years. SKELTON. 11

Presbyterian Church

The usual services at the usual hours. Theme for the morning "What Jesus offers young Men?"

The evening service will consist of special music and a reading by Miss Grace Smith, and an address by Mr. Ernest Rice.

Dining and Living Room Furniture our hobby at Wilson's. 35-4f

New shipments of wall paper just received at SKELTON'S. 11

Orr's Tailor Shop. Phone 16. 33-4f

Dr. G. W. Heard, Dentist, will be away a few weeks on a vacation in Alabama. 37-2f.

We do engraving, enameling and manufacturing. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

BASKIN LAND COMPANY Hereford, Texas. Resources \$25,000.00. In Hereford since 1908. Best equipped land office in N. W. Texas. Write us, if you want to buy or sell anything in the Panhandle. 32-4f

We are right here to make our glasses good, if they do not fit, or your money back. W. H. RAY. 37-4f

We have increased our stock to more than twice the size that we have ever carried in the past. SKELTON. 11

T. E. Wilson and daughter, Miss Douglas, left Tuesday to attend the

See us about all sizes of window glass. SKELTON. 11

M. A. Crum of Floyd county, is a Hereford visitor this week.

Don't fail to see our new tailored hats. We can please you in any kind of a hat, at very moderate prices. 11. MRS. T. N. HEIFNER.

Money saved is money made. Buy from SKELTON. 11

HEREFORD HIGH MEN READY FOR FOOTBALL

Hard practice has been the order of the day with the Hereford High football squad since the battle with Clovis. Many lessons were learned from the struggle, and the boys have worked hard to bolster up the weak places. They are now fit and eager to take it out of somebody at the first opportunity.

A game with Tulla High is scheduled for November 9. A local team will practice the squad Thursday afternoon. Several other games are in prospect for the near future.

SOLDIERS PURCHASE LIBERTY BONDS ON INSTALLMENT PLAN

Friends of the several Hereford boys who joined the Amarillo Company of the Sixth Texas Infantry will be interested to hear that mail addressed to them should be sent as follows: "Camp Company G, 142nd Infantry, Camp Bowie, Texas." It is not necessary to address the envelopes to Fort Worth, Texas.

This, and a great deal of other additional information was furnished the past week in a letter received by G. A. F. Parker from his nephew, Clifford C. Acker, now a member of the above organization. Clifford states that his Company was merged with that from Lubbock, retaining his own Captain, of whom the boys are very proud. The new regiment formed at the recent reorganization at Camp Bowie consists of six Companies of Oklahoma troops, and six Companies of Texas volunteers.

Colonel Bloor, the Texas commander, retains his position, but Major Culbertson was transferred to the artillery. All the soldiers at Camp Bowie have been advised to buy at least a \$50 Liberty Bond, to be paid for in four equal payments. Great numbers of the soldiers have responded.

FOUR MINUTE MEN PRESENT APPEALS AT PICTURE SHOW

Like the Minute Men of '76, the Four Minute Men of '17 have rallied to the support of the war cause at the call of their federal government. All over the United States nightly talks, limited to four minutes, are being made by patriotic orators, setting forth the facts of this great struggle, America's reasons for participation in it, and the war necessities confronting every citizen, every woman, every boy and every girl.

Hereford's platform men have been not a whit behind those of other cities in doing their "bit". Beginning about ten days ago, Chairman C. G. Gilliland of the County Council of Defense took up this feature of the war work. First it was a question of the best place to present the talks. The Picture Show naturally suggested itself. No sooner thought of than done.

Said Manager McThee of the Star Theatre: "My place of business is at the service of my country. Go as far as you like."

Said Chairman Gilliland: "But, do you suppose your patrons or some of them, would object to listening to nightly four minute talks?"

Said Manager McThee: "Anyone who is not patriotic enough to come to my show on account of a four minute talk on our country's need can stay at home." Bargain closed.

Hence nightly those of our citizens seeking diversion at Manager McThee's place of entertainment have enjoyed some of the finest patriotic appeals it has ever been the pleasure of Hereford citizens to listen to. Among those who have spoken to date are: Judge Jno. P. Slaton, Mayor William M. Knight, County Judge Hughes, A. C. Elliott, Cliff Estes, D. L. McDonald, A. C. Thompson, Rat Jowell and Judge L. Gough.

It is proposed to continue these talks during the duration of the Second Liberty Loan campaign, which ends with next week.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Extra good Majestic range, cheap. Phone 257. 38-2f

FOR SALE—5 room house—6 lots, \$1200.00; close in. 38-4f. W. C. FALWELL.

FEET—at half price, beginning Friday, Oct. 19. All felt hats at half price. Mrs. T. N. Heifner. 11

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A very desirable home. Will take small residence as part pay. Phone 364. 11. W. W. WATSON.

WANTED—To buy 100 good white-face yearling heifers. See Claud Higgins. 38-2f

SPECIAL TRIAL OFFER—Send twenty-five cents for four months' subscription to New Mexico's great farm and ranch Magazine. NEW MEXICO STOCKMAN, Roswell, N. M.

FOR SALE—Some nice young well bred cows; two 2-year-old mules; about 90 young shoats; about 90 acres extra good row crop; few Brown Leghorn roosters. If you want this, get busy—No correspondence. Feed not sold until after stock is sold. Prices higher than cat's back. J. C. COKER, 11. Canyon, Texas.

LOST—Sack binder twice between Harrison's elevator and Cardwell's Hog Farm. Finder please notify D. C. Laird. 11

On the Firing Line Every Day in the Week Ready to serve you with high class cleaning, pressing and repairing of clothes. The kind that you can really recognize as "DIFFERENT." PHONE US OR DROP A CARD Phone 16 Orr's Tailor Shop

Senior Class Will Give Program at Central School Monday Night to Buy Liberty Bonds. The Senior Class at the High School will give a program at the Central School auditorium Monday night, the proceeds to go toward buying Liberty Bonds for the class. This program will be in the nature of an imitation of White & Myers Chautauqua last summer, and the class is hard at work on the different numbers, and judging from current reports the affair promises to be a real treat. The Seniors have already raised \$110 with which to buy bonds, and hope by this program to materially increase that amount. The admission will be only 25 cents, so come out and show your patriotism. New Man at Barnett's Haberdashery J. T. Quinn has been employed and placed in charge of the tailor shop at Ralph Barnett's Gents' Furnishing store. J. T. succeeds Lee Riggs who has resigned to accept a position in the county clerk's office. He is well known here and asks that all his friends when in need of a suit cleaned and pressed, or a new suit, call and see him. "YOU'LL LIKE HEREFORD"

BLACKLEG Lederle's Filtrate Germ Free Vaccine is a safe and efficient product against Blackleg. Immunity produced longer than any other method known. 15c a Dose 12c in lots of a thousand or more WHY PAY MORE WIRE OR PHONE Corner Drug Store Hereford, Texas Phone 105

.. OAKLAND .. The most popular light six. See us before buying WITHERSPOON & STUBBS

We Advise You to Buy A Liberty Bond

This bank has the respect and confidence of its customers, who frequently seek the advice of its officials. Liberty Bonds are a safe investment. We have bought some and we advise you to do the same. Call in and talk it over. This bank has bought \$10,000.00 of the Liberty Bonds. Each officer and employe has bought one.

First State Bank & Trust Co. Hereford, Texas

Just Good Groceries THIS STORE SPECIALIZES IN Cleanliness Sanitation Fresh Stocks Courteous Treatment Prompt Deliveries We pay market prices on all produce, and sell at market prices each day. W. L. Sullivan Grocery

DUNLAP HARDWARE CO.



Does This Saving Look Good to You?

Fuel is high—here is a way to gain big fuel economy and a perfectly heated home. Why not save the gas half of the coal wasted by all other stoves, with the fuel saving

Cole's Original Hot Blast

COUNTY MADE FINE SHOWING AT FAIR

Four Blue Ribbons Secured by Agricultural Exhibitors, and String of Ribbons in Stock Ring

Deaf Smith county made a very creditable showing at the Panhandle State Fair, just ended, especially in the live stock division. In the agricultural department four blue ribbons were brought home, as follows: sweet potatoes, A. H. Owen, cabbage, A. D. Godwin, Sudan Grass, Mr. Cannon, green peppers, A. P. Murchison. This exhibit was ably handled by W. F. West, who distributed several thousand pieces of literature furnished him by the Hereford Chamber of Commerce.

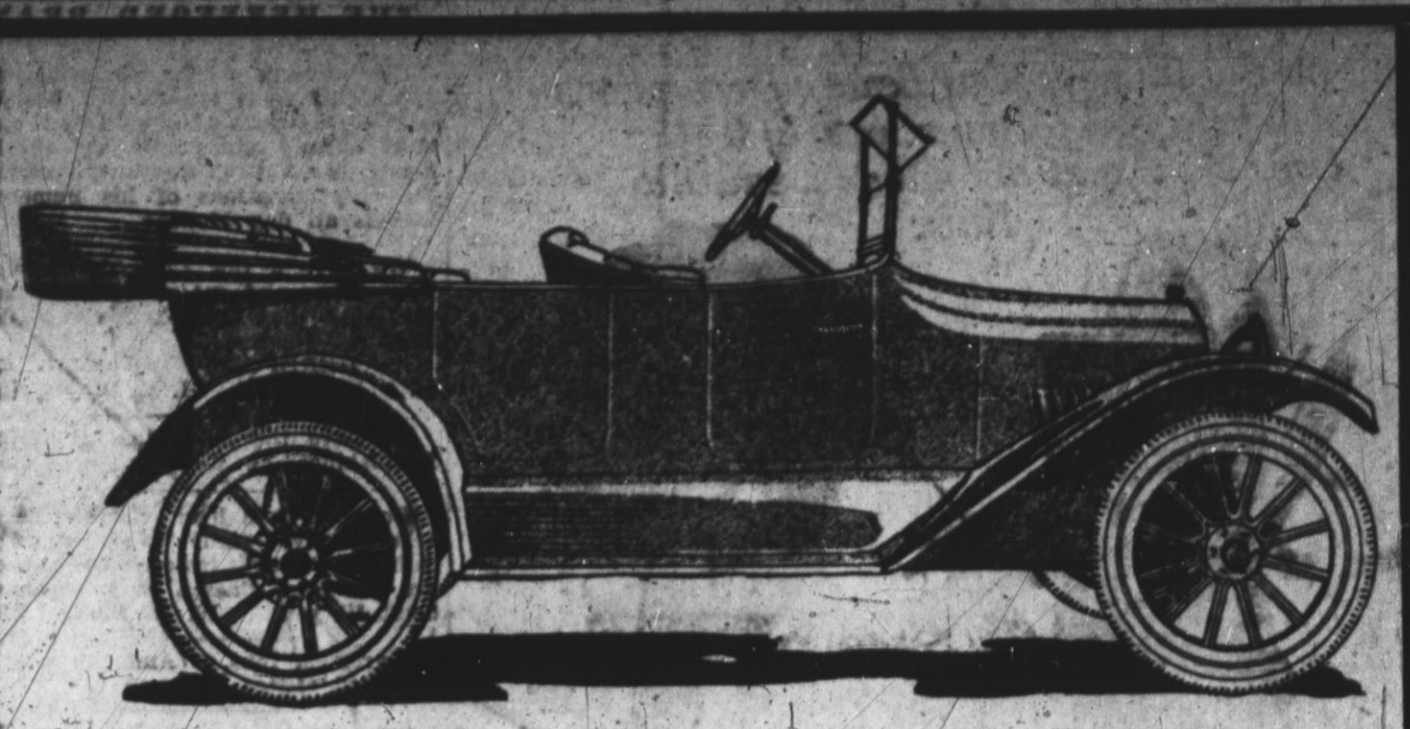
A big string of cattle and horses came from this county, and received prominent notice from the spectators and judges during the week. The competition resulted as follows:

Domino, Jr., bull, shown by C. H. Lupton, stood third, and Domineer, shown by C. R. Barber, fifth; Ginger Stanway, shown by C. R. Barber, stood ninth. This bull topped the Hereford cattle sale and sold for \$2,000 to G. W. Sitter of McLean, Texas. He was an outstanding bull, but not in show condition. A two-year-old bull shown by C. H. Lupton, stood tenth.

Lilly, a two-year-old heifer shown by Mrs. E. R. Bradley, stood fifth. Beas Stanway, a junior yearling bull shown by Hines & O'Brien, took ninth place. In the senior heifer yearling class Miss Picture, owned by C. R. Barber, was awarded tenth place, and two senior heifer calves, owned by Jowell & Ivy, stood tenth and eleventh, respectively. "Perfect Picture," a junior bull calf, owned by S. G. Sanders, captured the tenth position.

W. F. Neal & Son showed a string of 13 horses that swept the prize plate clean. They will also be shown at the Dallas Fair. The prizes captured by these gentlemen follow:

- First on Stallion over 4 years old.
- First on 3-year-old Stallion.
- Second on 2-year-old Stallion.
- First and second on yearling Stallion.
- Second on Stallion foal.
- Championship on Stallion, Kaute-mire, an imported horse.
- First and second on mare over four years old.
- First on 3-year-old mare.
- First and second on 2-year-old mare.
- First on filly foal.
- First on brood mare and colts.
- First on heavy team hitched.
- First on light team hitched.
- First on display.
- Championship on mares.



**Chevrolet Cars
Oakland Cars
Mitchell Cars
Smith Form-a-Truck**

We are now permanently located in the Rayzor Building on Main street; also putting in supply of Chevrolet parts.

Witherspoon & Stubbs, Agents Hereford, Texas

See J. R. Stubbs, Vern Witherspoon or J. W. Kinney.



SOME USED CARS ON HAND

\$17



ROUND TRIP TO DALLAS

Account Dallas Fair

On sale October 12-26. Limit, October 30

\$22.50 Round Trip to **El Paso**

Acct. Masonic Rention.

Date of sale October 20-25, inclusive. Limit, Oct. 29

L. I. GARTON

Local Ticket Agent Santa Fe.

CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

Castro County made a very creditable showing at the Panhandle State Fair last week. Although this was her first attempt at an exhibit, she took six blue ribbons and one red one. Farmers of Castro County this year produced the best grapes, plums, cane, speltz, maize, and sudan. She also made a good impression with her display of other farm products.

Cpt-off. From here they were accompanied by several Dimmitt citizens, namely: B. D. Woodlee, J. E. Hyatt, W. A. Tate and Bruce McLean. This road will be very advantageous to all towns along its route; and the people of Castro County should do all they can toward swinging it their way.

Quite a number of Dimmitt people attended the Panhandle State Fair at Amarillo last week. Among the number were: E. S. Ireland, K. E. Turner, L. S. Barron, E. B. McDonald, W. A. Tate, Dow Duree, W. O. Gillespie, Sam Webb, Donald Alexander, Dewey Watson, Dr. C. J. Stanley, Will S. Kerr, R. T. Green, Red Alban and wife, Judge B. D. Woodlee and family and Glenn Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kerr left Thursday for Dallas where they will view the wonders of the Fair for a few days. From there they intend to go to Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash left last Wednesday on an extended trip to Mineral Wells and other points. They made the trip in their car.

Only the timely aid of the "bucket brigade" saved Dimmitt from a disastrous fire Friday. The Cotton building, occupied by Turnbow's restaurant caught fire from a bad flue, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

Mr. Otis Burton of the Big Square community, was a business visitor in Dimmitt Wednesday.

Mrs. B. L. Anderson returned Tuesday from a month's visit with her parents in Brownfield.

The Y. M. B. L. of Tulla and Silverton came through Dimmitt Wednesday enroute to Texico-Farwell in the interest of the Estelline-Tulla-Farwell

Mr. Mat Gilliland, of the E. B.

Black Furniture Co., was in Dimmitt Thursday.

Marrriage Licenses
James C. Wilkinson to Miss Winnie E. Warren; married at Friona by Rev. Stevens.
D. M. Ballard to Miss Lula Earnest; married at Friona by Rev. Stevens.

What is LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS IS AN IMPROVED CASCARA
A Digestive Liquid Laxative, Cathartic and Liver Tonic, Contains Cascara Bark, Blue Flag Root, Rhubarb Root, Black Root, May Apple Root, Senna Leaves and Pepsin. Combines strength with palatable aromatic taste. Does not gripe. 50c

VIRGINIA GIRL

Gained 15 Pounds By Taking Vinol
Norfolk, Va.—"I suffered from nervousness, had no appetite and was very thin. Nothing I took seemed to help me until one day a friend told me about Vinol. I have now taken six bottles and have gained fifteen pounds; have a good appetite and can eat anything."—MARGIE DENNING, Norfolk, Va.
Vinol is a constitutional remedy with its formula on every bottle. It creates an appetite, aids digestion and makes pure, healthy blood. Try it on our guarantee.

FRIONA NEWS ITEMS

D. H. Mead, G. L. Livings, J. C. Winn, R. G. Clenn, W. E. Goodwine and J. W. White spent a part of this week in Farwell attending district court as jurors.

Mr. Staley who recently moved on to the Hanna farm, has purchased the Jesse Lettin farm west of town. Mr. Staley expects to build on the land and make it his permanent home.

Quite a number of the members of the local C. E. society attended the Christian Endeavor convention at Hereford on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The road builders have long since passed Friona and are now beyond Borwin with the grading work and the bridge builders are rapidly following them up. Farmer county will soon have a road across its entire length of which all our citizens may justly feel proud.

The entire faculty of our school took dinner Sunday at the home of W. E. Goodwine as the guests of Miss Luey and Clyde Goodwine.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give their usual chicken dinner in the church basement on election day. This, occurs Nov. 6th, and while there may be no election on that day, the dinner will be there just the same; so come and let the ladies feed you. Everybody invited.

Friona now holds the record for Farmer county weddings; having recently furnished two in one day. On Saturday last Mr. Melvin Ballard and

Mrs. Lulu Ernest, and J. C. Wilkinson and Miss Winnie Warren departed by automobile for Amarillo, and were quietly married. They were joined at Hereford by Rev. M. Stevens of this place who accompanied them and performed the ceremony. They returned to Friona on Sunday where they received the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends. Mr. Ballard is a member of the mercantile firm of Ballard and Stevens and his bride is the present post-mistress at Friona. Mr. Wilkinson is the general and popular agent of the Santa Fe at this place and Miss Warren, now Mrs. Wilkinson, has for several weeks been assistant agent.

The shipping season is now on in full blast and nearly 200 cars of cattle have been shipped from this point. Sixty cars were shipped last Saturday and ninety cars are ordered for Saturday of this week. Many more cars would have been shipped had the rail road been able to supply the cars.

District Court

- Dunlap Hdw. Co. vs A. F. Luse; suit on Note and foreclosure mortgage.
- A. M. Jones vs Deaf Smith County; to try title.
- W. A. Graham vs Mrs. Anna A. Ward; specific performance.
- Tiefl Bros. vs Betts-Clark; suit on contract.
- William A. Noffsler vs O. E. Vaughn et al; suit on Note and foreclosure.
- J. D. Thompson vs P. & S. F. Ry. Co.; Damages.

THE CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS

City Treasurer's Financial Report September 1st, 1917

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand April 1, 1917.	\$ 6,170.37
Tax collected	858.11
License issued	22.50
Fines in Corporation Court	8.00
Sale of impounded horse	48.50
P. & N. T. Ry. Company for broken tile	15.54
Sewer Pipe sold	440.14
Water & Sewer rents collected	2,050.52
First National Bank—City's 6 months' notes	3,000.00
Interest on daily balances	107.22
	\$12,720.88
DISBURSEMENTS	
Salaries paid	\$ 1,514.00
Expense—Water works	4,878.34
Expense—Fire Department	157.11
Expense—Health Department	204.80
Expense—Street Dept.	607.00
Expense—Printing & Stationery	171.50
Expense—Street Lights	68.40
Expense—Contingent	450.94
Purchase of Blocks 59 and 71	75.00
Purchase of Lot 1 Bk. 10	20.00
Whitehead Add. for park	20.00
Interest on bonded indebtedness	2,000.00
	2,582.19
Cash on hand	2,582.19
	\$12,720.88

The above is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the City of Hereford October 1st, 1917, to the best of my knowledge.

J. F. CROUCH,
City Clerk.

A Letter From Washington

The Food Administrator Writes Us:

"The use of baking powder breads made of corn and other coarse flours instead of patent wheat flour is recommended by the Conservation Division of the Food Administration. The wheat needed for export is thus conserved, and at the same time healthful food for our own people is provided. The circulation of recipes providing for these uses would be of assistance in carrying out our plans."

The following recipes for Corn Bread and Rye Rolls save wheat flour and make attractive and wholesome food for every day when made with

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

- CORN BREAD**
1 1/2 cups corn meal
1/2 cup flour
1 level teaspoon Dr. Price's Baking Powder
1 tablespoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 1/2 cups milk
1/2 cup molasses
- RYE ROLLS**
3 cups rye flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 level teaspoon Dr. Price's Baking Powder
1 cup milk
1/2 cup molasses

Our red, white and blue bakers' "Red War Time Recipes" containing additional similar recipes sent free on request. Address Dept. H, 1001 Independence Boulevard, Chicago

Announcement

We are now located in our new home in the I. O. O. F. building. Our shop has the best equipment to be had, and you are invited to come in and inspect the sanitary conditions, which we will at all times endeavor to maintain.

Our shop fixtures are up-to-date, and our service is not excelled.

Our bath department consists of one shower and two tubs, sanitary and clean.

Our tailoring department is well equipped with a new model Hoffman Steam Pressing Machine, and we have an experienced tailor in charge.

Let us sell you your new fall clothes—we'll both make money, and you'll get the best to be had in clothing. We represent Bruner Woolens and Kahn Tailoring Co. Come in, you are welcome

THE SANITARY BARBER SHOP

Beene & Bennett
Proprietors

IN TEXAS FOR DISTRIBUTION

Dallas, Oct. 17.—Individual exhibits which are being made up for the important and comprehensive exposition of the Texas State Fair, products in the Buy It Made in Texas Division of the State Fair, are arriving in Dallas at the present time in scores. Many of them are of such high quality that they will be from 150 to 175 exhibitors in this out-of-the-way corner of the State Fair.

The Buy It Made in Texas Association plans a very comprehensive program for the fair, and is making arrangements for thousands of visitors to its exhibits. This will occupy the right corridor, or south side of the Coliseum building, with each exhibitor having three by three feet.

Artistic designing is being followed in the preparation of the exhibits, and many novel features of the manufacturing art is predicted by the officers of the Association. Day, October 22nd, will be made notable for the entire fair by the visit of Clarence Ouseley, assistant secretary of agriculture in charge of the food survey, and a general meeting of the Association membership with J. A. Kemp, president, in the chair. Mr. Ouseley's speech will be open to the public, as his message will probably be of great interest to all Texans.

Total Rural Population Data

Have you ever analyzed the distribution of population in the United States to show the relative importance of trade in cities and in the rural districts?

If so you have no doubt discovered data about like this: over 63,000,000 of our population is located in rural districts and in cities under 10,000 population. About 54,000,000 or quite a bit more than half the population is located in rural districts and towns up to 2500 population. About 45,000,000 or close to 45 per cent are located in rural districts outside of incorporated towns.

Boys and Girls in Rural Districts

In rural districts outside of incorporated towns there are at the present time approximately 12,902,000 women and girls over 15 years of age.

There are about 15,908,000 men and boys over 15 years of age in this same field.

There are also about 7,111,000 girls under 15 years of age and 7,401,000 boys under 15 years of age living in rural districts outside of incorporated towns. The boys and girls constitute close to 15 per cent of the nation's population.

SOME SILO SAYINGS

"Save the gain" is the motto now. Using silage to feed the cow.

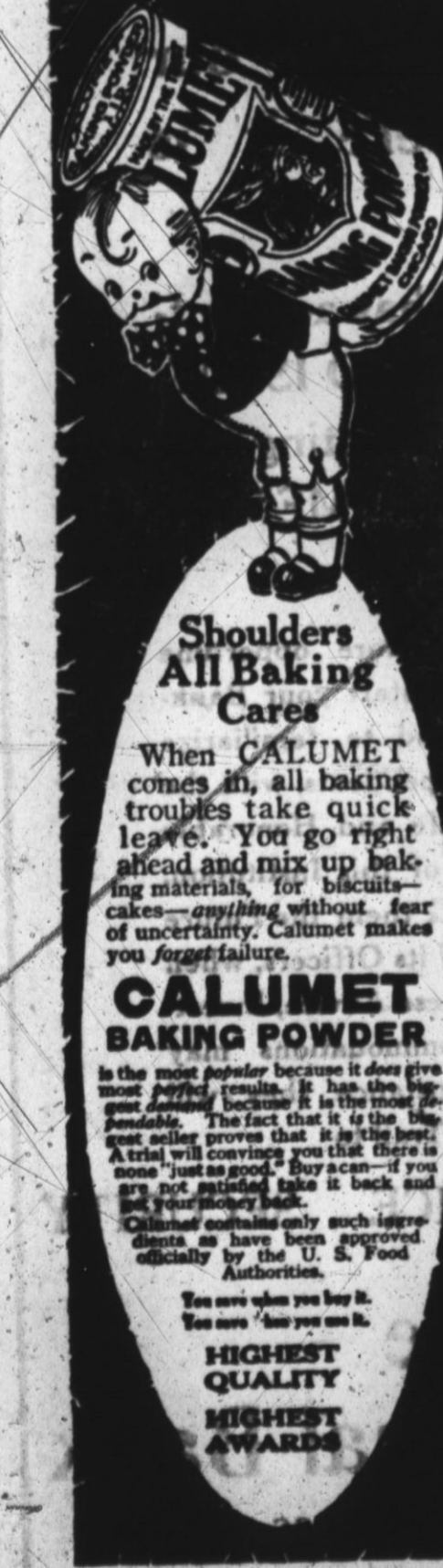
Stave off the high costs of dairy feeds with a stave silo.

Don't be satisfied with the abstract idea of having a silo; make it concrete. It can't rot out, blow down, or burn up.

You like canned fruits and vegetables during the winter. Silage, says the United States Department of Agriculture, is the dairy cow's canned stuff.

If you feed only the ears you lose nearly half the food value in the corn crop. Turn the leaves and stalks into silage and save that 40 per cent.

After all is said, the fact remains that the two necessary war foods are bread and milk. For winter milk production nothing equals the silo.



Shoulders All Baking Cares

When CALUMET comes in, all baking troubles take quick leave. You go right ahead and mix up baking materials, for biscuits—cakes—anything without fear of uncertainty. Calumet makes you forget failure.

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

is the most popular because it does give most perfect results. It has the biggest advantage because it is the most dependable. The fact that it is the biggest seller proves that it is the best. A trial will convince you that there is none just as good. Buy a can—if you are not satisfied take it back and get your money back.

Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities.

You save when you buy it. You save when you use it.

HIGHEST QUALITY HIGHEST AWARDS

Extension Service of A. and M. College Prepared to Aid Farmers in Poultry Work

(By Geo. A. Smith, Special Agent)

In the work being done by the Extension Service of the Texas A. and M. College to meet wartime conditions in Texas that of poultry handling has a large place. In the value of products the poultry has always held a big place in the total of farm products of the nation and in Texas her place upon the farm is well fixed, but the volume of her product could be greatly extended if more modern methods of poultry handling were generally adopted. In meeting conditions brought about by the war it was realized that the best offered one of the surest and quickest methods of increasing food production and for this reason special effort has been made to place in the hands of the farmers and poultry raisers in Texas the information necessary for intelligent and economical handling of the flock.

Along this line E. W. Kazmier, poultry husbandman of the Extension Service has written and there has been printed no less than twenty-four circulars having to do with different phases of poultry production. The subjects of these circulars run the gamut from the "Common Diseases of the Hen" to "War-Time Poultry Feeding" and cover practically every point upon which the poultry raiser should be informed. These are being placed in the hands of the poultry raisers and others through the county agents and may be had by application direct to the Extension Service of the A. and M. College.

A greater consumption of eggs and poultry by the people of the state would go a long way to relieve the meat situation and permit the diversion of more meat to the feeding of armies, while the health of the people of the state as a whole would be improved by the change. To meet this condition, however, there must be a considerable increase in both poultry and egg production and that quickly, so that a special drive is being made along the line to secure this increase.

In the work of raising supplies for a nation at war, Texas is not behind the other states. The Extension Service of the A. and M. College, through its forces of county agents and specialists has devoted itself to this work and is getting the cooperation of the people of the whole state, farmers, county officials, business men, bankers, and others. Since the meeting of the agents in the first days of August, when the needs of the nation were discussed and plans laid for meeting them in Texas, a large number of county agents have been placed in counties where there have been none employed before. In fact practically every county in the state where there is any agriculture at all is now supplied with an agent and the work of placing these men is being continued as fast as arrangements can be made and men qualified for the position can be obtained.

In every county an active campaign is being conducted for the growing of winter pasture crops, wheat, rye, oats, barley, clover, or rape, according to the adaptability of the county to these crops. In those counties where wheat, rye, oats or barley can be grown as a commercial crop the acreage is being greatly increased and particular care is being taken in the selection of the seed to be sown so that the largest possible yield of the best quality grain may be produced. Arrangements are being made to finance these crops and to assist the farmers so far as possible to secure seed and the production of these crops should show a marked increase over previous years.

In the sweet potato growing sections of the state, the conservation of this crop is being pushed more actively than ever before and in those sections where sugar cane is a considerable crop, as in East and Southeast Texas, arrangements are being made for the conservation of the syrup and for its use in the product. In all this work the county agents are the active force advised by the specialists in the various lines, who have been selected for their knowledge of their subjects and ability as directors.

This work will have its influence upon the future of agriculture in the state and when the war is over and the people settle down to peace conditions it will be found that the state has taken a long step in advance and that its average farm income has been increased, which will mean a corresponding increase in the total agricultural products in the state as a whole.

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN

Cincinnati Authority Tells How to Dry Up a Corn or Callus so It Lifts Off With Fingers

You corn-plagued men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezezone costs very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house. It is fine stuff and acts like a charm every time.

The skunk has been classified as an animal of great economic importance by the Department of Agriculture. As an enemy to destructive insects and vermin, against which the farmer could not successfully cope, this animal, so commonly despised and destroyed, should be protected at all times.

TRY A FILLING OF IOWA PARK GASOLINE for your car. Notice the mileage, the power, the steady pull of the engine.

Give your motor a chance with PENNSYLVANIA MOTOR OIL and notice how well it lubricates and how long it will last.

Pennsylvania Motor Oil and Iowa Park Gasoline gives more miles, more power, more satisfaction. Once tried always used. Filling Stations, W. W. Bennett & Co., Farris & Davis, Wholesale Agts.

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APPLYABLE TO BUY BONDS

SECRETARY OF TREASURY ISSUES STRONG CIRCULAR TO BANKS OF COUNTRY CONCERNING INFORMATION ON SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

Treasury Department, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, October 11, 1917.

TO ALL NATIONAL BANKS:

The Comptroller of the Currency respectfully suggests to all National Banks that they address a personal communication by letter or postal card to every depositor—or, say, to those whose deposits amount to \$200 or more—calling attention to Liberty Bonds and offering to accommodate any purchaser who may need more time to make his payments than may be allowed by the terms of subscription.

Nearly every one who has property or savings keeps a bank account somewhere, and it is important now that the duty and privilege of subscribing to the Liberty Bonds should be brought directly before every individual, firm and corporation able to subscribe.

It is also recommended that the rates of interest charged to purchasers of Liberty Bonds shall be made as favorable as possible for the buyer. It might be well to ask each depositor please to reply to your patriotic reminder.

After the second Liberty Loan shall have been subscribed for, national banks will probably again be requested by this office to state in a report of condition or special report the amount of Liberty Bonds subscribed for by them, the amount placed with their customers, and also the amounts of money which they may have advanced to aid purchasers of Liberty Bonds in carrying them, and the rates of interest charged on such loans.

COUNTRY'S INCOME, 1917, FORTY BILLION DOLLARS.

The wealth now produced each year in the United States by our forty-two (42) million workers and wage earners, aided by labor saving machinery, which is ever increasing in efficiency and output, is colossal. For 1917 this wealth, it is believed, will exceed forty (40) billion dollars, of which the Secretary of Agriculture has estimated that the products of the farm and kindred industries will contribute seventeen (17) billion dollars.

PRODUCTION AND SAVINGS UNEQUALLED.

With the higher wages paid to workmen in many industries the highest ever known, and with the larger returns to capital, the savings of the people, despite the high cost of living, have increased enormously. The growth of production has also stimulated thrift and helped materially to swell savings deposits.

Americans have not the inherited wealth which in European countries has been handed down through generations, but we have already become both in the aggregate and in our per capita wealth the richest nation on the globe.

The latest reports tell us that the twenty-eight thousand (28,000) National, State, and Savings Banks and Trust Companies of the country, have at this time approximately FORTY-SIX (46) BILLION DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS, of which sixteen (16) million are in the national banks, nine (9) million in the Mutual Savings Banks, seven (7) million in Trust Companies, and the remainder in other State Banks. These deposit balances range from very small sums to more than TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS in a single account in one bank. BANK DEPOSITORS NUMBER 25,000,000.

EFFECTIVE AND PATRIOTIC SERVICE.

The National Banks of the country are today stronger, cleaner, and have greater resources than ever before, and know that they are fired with a patriotic determination to do their utmost under the leadership of the Secretary of the Treasury and in cooperation with the Federal Reserve Banks and the State Banks, to make this loan a signal success. They have already been and will surely continue to be of inestimable value in securing from investors, large and small, the many millions of dollars which we must now provide to win victory. They need fear no serious inconvenience from the withdrawal of funds by depositors wishing to invest in Liberty Bonds, for practically all the money withdrawn from deposits will sooner or later be turned directly to the banks. It is being kept here.

HUGE GOLD HOLDINGS OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS.

Our supply of gold, the basis of our credit structure, is now not only the greatest of any nation on earth, but we have succeeded in mobilizing an amount of \$2,650 here which is more than this or any other nation ever held before. The gold now held by the Federal Reserve Banks alone approximates FIFTY HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS.

UNITED NOTE ISSUING POWER NEARLY TWO BILLION DOLLARS.

Should any individual banks be inconvenienced by the loss of deposits because of withdrawals to buy Liberty Bonds, the Federal Reserve Banks, whose unexercised note-issuing power is now close to TWO BILLION DOLLARS (2,000 million), are well able to extend any accommodations that may be needed, through rediscounts of direct loans, at rates of interest considerably lower than the banks were formerly charged before the inauguration of the Federal Reserve System. All legitimate requirements of business can therefore be readily provided for.

RESOURCES OF NATIONAL BANKS—BREAK ALL RECORDS.

The reports to this office show that on the date of the last call, September 11, the deposits in the National banks of the 54 Reserve Cities of the country were many millions ahead of all previous records, and that the deposits in the 273 national banks in the 54 Reserve Cities and the Central Reserve Cities of the country also exceeded by more than 200 million dollars the deposits of ALL of the 7,218 national banks in the United States as late as the year 1911.

The combined resources of our National Banks, Savings Banks, State Banks and Trust Companies at this time exceed the vast sum of THIRTY-SEVEN (37) BILLION DOLLARS. This amount is more than twice as great as the total resources of all the banks of the United States eleven years ago, and exceeds by approximately TWELVE (12) BILLION DOLLARS the aggregate resources of all banks in the early part of 1913, at the beginning of the present Administration.

WEALTH FAR EXCEEDS COMBINED WEALTH OF ANY OTHER TWO NATIONS ON EARTH.

The wealth of our country is now close to TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) BILLION DOLLARS. The yearly income of our people, representing the product of both capital and labor, is about FORTY (40) BILLION DOLLARS, or sixteen per cent of the estimated value of all property. If every one in this land should subscribe to Liberty Bonds to the extent of one-tenth of his total resources, this loan would be subscribed to nearly TEN TIMES OVER.

EVERY DOLLAR INVESTED IN LIBERTY BONDS BY AN AMERICAN CITIZEN IS A CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROTECTION OF OUR HOMES AND KIDNEDS AND FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF OUR CIVILIZATION.

Horse in Algeria outgrows the human being.

The main vein, his own weight and 50 per cent over every day. His is probably a diet of worms.

FOR THE KIDNIES

Don't let the school lunch be merely something which will fill the lunch box in the morning and be only a step to stave the kiddie's appetites from noon until night. Make a real contribution to the food which the children require to meet the needs of their growing bodies and active brains—to satisfy their appetites and keep them in health.

These are the suggestions of home-economics specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture, now that millions of the future citizens of the country are again eating their midday meals from box, basket, bag or confectionery shop instead of from the family table under watchful parental eyes.

Expensive Foods Need not be Used.

The preparation of luncheons which will fill the needs of the child's body does not mean the use of more expensive foods or the expenditure of greater effort, the specialists point out. In many cases both expense and work will be lessened. What is needed in the preparation of more satisfactory luncheons is merely that parents and "big sisters" or whoever fills the "lunch box" shall inform themselves of certain facts in regard to the choice and combination of foods. The need in many cases is for neither more nor less food, but for the representation of the needed food groups. The necessary facts are set out plainly in Farmers' Bulletin 712, "School Lunches," which may be had free so long as the supply lasts by application to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

The following suggestions are among those made in the bulletin for well-balanced lunches to be carried to school:

1. Sandwiches with sliced tender meat for filling, baked apple, cookies, or a few lumps of sugar.
2. Slices of meat loaf or bean loaf; bread-and-butter sandwiches; stewed fruit; small frosted cake.
3. Crisp rolls, hollowed out and filled with chopped meat or fish, moistened and seasoned, or mixed with salad dressing; oranges, apple, a mixture of sliced fruits, or berries; cake.
4. Lettuce or celery sandwiches; cup custard; jelly sandwiches.
5. Cottage cheese and chopped green peas sandwiches, or a pot of cream cheese with bread-and-butter sandwiches; peanut sandwiches; fruit; cake.
6. Hard-boiled eggs, crisp baking powder biscuits; celery or radishes; brown-sugar or maple-sugar sandwiches.
7. Bottle of milk; thin corn bread and butter; dates; apple.
8. Raisin or nut bread with butter; cheese; orange; maple sugar.
9. Baked bean and lettuce sandwiches; apple sauce; sweet chocolate.

SAVE THE SWINE

Suggested as a slogan for Farmers Who Wish to Prevent a Shortage of Meat Shortage

Selling a brood sow at this time, according to the United States Department of Agriculture, is like killing the goose that laid the golden egg.

When pork is selling at 15 cents a more a pound on the hoof, the breeder may be tempted to turn his cash all that he can sell; yet the department points out that the value of a brood sow which will produce such high-priced offspring is proportionately increased and she should be kept as the source of further and future profits.

Since the beginning of the war the number of swine in all countries has decreased, and the decrease has been marked in some of the best countries. In France, for example, in the three years just before January 1, 1917, the number of swine decreased 33.3 per cent; during 1915 the number in Germany decreased 31.47 per cent.

Situation Critical

Breeding stocks are being depleted and the department says that the situation is already critical and threatens to become very serious if the country continues to be drained of its meats. Hogs furnish meat more quickly and cheaply than other stock can the meat shortage, therefore, can not readily be met by swine production. It has been calculated that the possible increase from one sow in 1,000 pigs in four years, on the supposition that a litter consist of six pigs, and that all piglets should fatten at one year at eight six months thereafter.

Cut Feeding Expense

Another cause of the depletion of breeding stocks is probably in the high cost of feeds. While concentration feeds have gone up, the department says that some of the expense of carrying breeding stocks may be cut down by the use of green fall forage crop (pasture, alfalfa or clover hay). Brood sows may be maintained in fair condition at comparatively little expense if the use of such feeds. By sowing the corn, or as a cover crop on land which is likely to wash, sowing rye or planting a root crop, the cost of wintering sows may be reduced. The department strongly recommends a campaign to save the sows, one means of helping to meet the threatened meat shortage.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System

The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVER'S TASTELESS CHOCOLATE, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood and builds up the system. A true tonic, for adults and children. 50c.

LIVER DIDN'T ACT

DIGESTION WAS BAD

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Ralied After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadowville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak... I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few doses of Black-Draught."

Seventy years of successful use made Theodor's Black-Draught standard, household remedy. Member of every family, at the need the help that Black-Draught gives in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, laxity, etc. You cannot keep well unless stomach, liver and bowels are in working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose today. You will feel fresh tomorrow. 25c. a package—One each in All druggists.

107 QUARANTINED COUNTIES

WEEP SCABIES, CASTRO AND FARMER AMONG THOSE FREED FROM QUARANTINE AGAINST SHEEP SCABIES.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 15. The first release of territory in Texas from quarantine on account of sheep scabies since the imposition of the quarantine against the entire State, July 1, 1914, was announced today by the United States Department of Agriculture, to become effective October 15, next. The removal of the quarantine affects 107 counties of an aggregate area of 121,451 square miles, or nearly one-half the area of the State.

Systematic work for the eradication of scabies was begun in Texas by the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture May 1st, last. The work will be continued with a view to releasing other portions of the State from quarantine as fast as they are freed from the disease.

Because of the widespread existence of scabies the United States Department of Agriculture at one time had under quarantine Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana and all States to the West. From time to time States and portions of States to the East also were under quarantine. The disease now has been brought under control to such an extent that the quarantine has been raised from most of this territory. After October 15th there will remain under quarantine only 10 counties in California and the portion of Texas not included in the release just announced.

Sheep scabies is caused by a small mite which irritates the skin of sheep, causes the loss of large quantities of wool and sometimes results in the death of the animals. The disease is combated by dipping the affected animals in a weak nicotine solution, or in a solution of lime and sulphur.

The counties in Texas released from quarantine for sheep scabies on and after October 15 are:

Andrews, Archer, Armstrong, Bailey, Baylor, Bell, Borden, Brewster, Briscoe, Brown, Burnet, Callahan, Carson, Castro, Childress, Clay, Cochran, Coke, Coleman, Collingsworth, Comanche, Coryell, Cottle, Crane, Crosby, Culberson, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Eastland, Ector, El Paso, Erath, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hamilton, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Haskell, Hemphill, Heckley, Hood, Howard, Hudspeth, Hutchinson, Jack, Jeff Davis, Jones, Kent, King, Knox, Lamb, Lampasas, Lipscomb, Llano, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Moore, Motley, Nolan, Ochiltree, Oldham, Palo Pinto, Parker, Farmer, Potter, Presidio, Randall, Reeves, Roberts, Runnels, San Saba, Scurry, Sherman, Shackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Sterling, Stonewall, Swisher, Taylor, Terry, Throckmorton, Ward, Wheeler, Wichita, Willbarger, Williamson, Winkler, Yoakum, and Young.

HOW TO MAKE FARM BUTTER

By E. L. Fox, Dairyman, Extension Service, A. and M. College of Texas.

A large percentage of the milk and cream produced in the Southern States is made into butter on the farm. The butter produced is variable in quality and color and is marketed in packages of all shapes and sizes and, for these reasons, does not find good markets. Better prices could be secured for Southern farm butter if it were properly made and put into attractive packages.

In starting out to make butter, bear in mind that the public will always pay the price for the quality, while, as a rule, poor, rancid butter is very hard to sell at any price. In order to produce quality butter, the farmer should provide himself with the following equipment: Some type of barrel churn, butter worker, butter printer (one pound square prints), small scales, cream strainer, cream stirrer, floating dairy thermometer, parchment papers, cartons, brushes and some kind of washing powder.

The first important step in butter-making is to see that the cream is handled with care. It is impossible to make the best quality of butter from cream that is produced under unsanitary conditions. Experience has shown that in general practice the churning of whole milk results in butter of poor quality and in greater losses of butter-fat in the buttermilk than if cream is used. It is, therefore, best to skim the milk and churn the cream. The best way to skim milk is by means of a separator. A farmer who has only two or three cows, but no separator, may put the milk into deep, narrow cans (shot gun cans) and set them in cool water, and when the cream rises it can be removed with a shallow spoon. When this system is used, it usually takes about 12 to 18 hours for the cream to rise. Care should be taken to keep the milk cool in order to make the cream rise rapidly. The old method of setting the milk in shallow pans should not be used, as the cream does not rise so completely as when set in deep pans in cold water, the quality of the cream is not so good and there are more vessels to wash and care for.

As soon as the cream is skimmed, it should be cooled to a temperature between 56 and 62 degrees Fahr. and held at that temperature until enough has been collected for churning. Cream should not be held more than three days before churning, because a stale flavor will develop and this is carried into the butter and injures its quality. In adding cream from time to time, the newly separated cream should be cooled to the temperature of the old cream before it is added, as warm cream causes souring to set in. Sweet cream should never be added to the cream that is ready to churn. In fact, all batches of cream should be poured together and thoroughly mixed at least 12 hours before churning begins. From the time the cream is sep-

arated it is ready to be churned to know as the ripening period, and during this time it should be thoroughly stirred several times per day to prevent a dry leathery formation on top and a curd formation on the bottom. The temperature at which cream should be churned should range between 56 and 62 degrees Fahr. the variation being governed by seasonally changes, the food cows receive, and the condition of the cream. The churn should be thoroughly scalded and then raised in cold water until the temperature of it has been reduced to that of the cream immediately before churning. Strain the milk into the churn, filling it about one-third full, so as to get the greatest concussion and the best results from churning. As a general rule, it will take from 30 to 45 minutes for the churning, this being governed by the temperature and acidity of the cream, and the character of the butter-fat globules.

As the cream "breaks", the churning process should be stopped at the time the butter granules are about the size of an ordinary pea. Drain the buttermilk away immediately and add clear, pure water, the temperature of which is the same as that of the drained buttermilk. Add as much water as you drained away buttermilk, turn the churn about 12 revolutions at a rather slow speed, and then drain off this wash water. If the last portion from the draining appears milky, another washing should be given.

When churning a small amount of butter, the salt can be added while the butter is in the churn by sprinkling the salt loosely over the granular mass and revolving the churn a few times to distribute it evenly, or the salt may be added after the butter is placed in the butter worker. A definite amount of salt should always be added in order to have a uniform percentage in the butter from different churnings. A good rule is to add one ounce of salt to each pound of butter.

While the butter is still in the churn, the worker, printer and paddles should be put to soak first in hot water and later in cold water, thereby saving time. After the salt has been added, remove the butter from the churn, place it on the working table, and work it thoroughly until the expelled drops of moisture appear clear and crystalline and the salt is evenly incorporated. If not worked thoroughly, the result is a mottled piece of butter with a loose body. If overworked, the result is a dull, salty body. As soon as the working process is completed, mould the butter into one-pound bricks with the butter printer, wrap in parchment paper, carton, and place in the refrigerator or some cool, clean place.

If the farmer wishes to produce a high class product the year round, and create a more extensive demand for his butter, he should keep in mind that uniformity is one of the secrets of success. The butter should always be uniform in flavor, color, body and salt content. If he keeps these points in mind, and continually strives to accommodate his customers, it will only be a short while before farm-butter will be helping as much per pound as good creamery butter.

In Russia, where blinders are never used, a shy horse is almost unknown.

A good way to make asphalt pavement less slippery is by heating the surface and then applying a layer of gravel, which is then rolled into the pavement. In wet weather the pavement retains its roughness and thus enables the horses to keep their footing.

The first division of 2000 carrier pigeons has been mobilized "somewhere" in the Southern Department, U. S. A., preparatory to service overseas. After brief training these erstwhile "doves of peace" will be sent to European battlefields to carry dispatches through the war zones.

One rat will eat or spoil 4 bushels of grain a year. It costs \$2 or \$3 a year to feed a rat on your place.

The real cost of foods of similar composition depends for the most part on the weight obtained per unit of cost; for example, a cereal which costs 15 cents a pound and supplies the same amount of nourishment as one that costs 25 cents a pound is a cheaper source of nutritive material, though the latter may be three times as bulky as the former owing to the form in which it is marketed.

The... and her... should have... of... bar... the... should be... from cold rains.

ANOTHER HEREFORD CASE

Proves That There's A Way Out For Many Suffering Hereford Falls

Just another report of a case in Hereford. Another typical case. Kidney ailment relieved in Hereford with Doan's Kidney Pills.

W. L. Fallwell, Hereford, says: "Two years ago I was suffering from my kidneys and had been for a long time. My back was weak and lame and ached constantly. Often sharp pains darted through my back. When I sat down for any length of time, I could not get up without holding onto something. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage, causing me to arise many times during the night. I had read a great deal about Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box at Betts-Clark's Drug Store. Up until that time, nothing had done me any good, but Doan's Kidney Pills helped me immediately. Several boxes cured me."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Fallwell. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

NEED MORE POULTRY

Secretary of Agriculture Calls on Poultry Industry to Increase Food Supply

The Secretary of Agriculture points out the importance of increasing poultry on the farms in the following letter transmitted to the American Poultry Association through Mr. Harry M. Lamm:

I hope that the coming meeting of the American Poultry Association, which you will attend as a representative of the department, will be highly successful and productive of good results. I need not point out to an adequate supply of foodstuffs is essential to the effective prosecution of the struggle in which we are engaged. We must not only supply our own needs but we must endeavor to meet in part the needs of the nations with which we are cooperating. The poultry industry can render very great service to the Nation in this emergency. The production of poultry is one of the best means of bringing about a quick increase in the meat supply of the country. In many sections, particularly in the South, the number of fowls on individual farms can and should be very largely increased. If the improved methods which have been worked out by the experts of the State agricultural colleges, the experiment stations, and the Department of Agriculture, were generally adopted, any of the problems confronting poultrymen would be solved or minimized. The department is cooperating with the industry in many directions and stands ready, of course, to render any assistance it can.

The value of horses in the United States, January 1, 1917, is placed by the Government at \$12,174,029,000. Iowa

leads in the number of horses within next with 1,452,000.

The State: 1,562,000. Illinois comes One-tenth of the agricultural and horticultural interests of the United States are destroyed annually by insects and our greatest safeguard is the destruction of these by the wild birds. The birds are our country's greatest aids to food conservation.

TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts Your Liver Without Making You Sick and Can Not Salivate

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling off in the sales of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tonic is taking its place.

Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tonic is perfectly safe and gives better results. A prominent local druggist, Dodson's Liver Tonic is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tonic is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tonic instead and feel fine, full of life and ambition.

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We are operating on our own capital, and are here to stay, and remember, will always meet competition on any cut-priced article.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

Respectfully,
WILLIAMS BROS.

THIS is just to inform the people of your community that THE LOUIE has moved from the wrong side of the street to the middle of the correct side at Polk, next door to P. H. Seewald's Jewelry establishment.

THE LOUIE is not connected in any way with any shop, in Amarillo. Quarters formerly occupied by him has been rented to Mr. Steiner.

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The **First National Bank** of Hereford, Texas

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WANTED—18 size, smooth, gold case, 21 jewel, open-face, Elgin watch; black round the crystal. Lost Sunday afternoon in Hereford. Return to Ray's jewelry store and get reward. J. L. Davis. 35-1f

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FEDERAL FOOD ADMINISTRATION

(Continued from page one.)

- W. C. Conroy, Fort Worth. Percy V. Pennybacker, Austin. W. W. Woodson, Waco. Roy Campbell, San Antonio. Miss Mary E. Gearing, Austin. The next step in organization was the creation of a Publicity Bureau and an Advisory Board of Texas Editors. The Advisory Board consists of twenty-one Editors of papers in Texas having the largest circulation, and the personnel is as follows: Hal Sevier, Chairman, The American, Austin. C. B. Gillespie, The Chronicle, Houston. James Hays Quarles, The Tribune, Waco. Fred A. Jones, The Enterprise, Beaumont. C. L. Schless, The Journal, Beaumont. Paul Edwards, The Dispatch, Dallas. Edmund Travis, The Statesman, Austin. Jas. Black, The Times, El Paso. G. D. Deahl, The Light, San Antonio. C. H. McMasters, The Tribune, Galveston. Geo. Waverly Briggs, The News, Galveston. Harry T. Warner, The Post, Houston. Jos. Emerson Smith, The Express, San Antonio. Thos. Flinty, Jr., The Journal, Dallas. Tom C. Gooch, Times-Herald, Dallas. D. P. Toomey, The News, Dallas. James M. North, Star-Telegram, Fort Worth. Robert H. Cornell, The Record, Fort Worth. George Robinson, Times-Herald, Waco. Chas. E. Marsh, The News, Waco. G. A. Martin, The Herald, El Paso. Mr. Peden is assisted in his enormous undertaking of conserving the food products of Texas by Herbert Godwin, a well known Cotton Factor of Houston. Mr. Godwin has temporarily surrendered his business for the sole purpose of assisting the life of the organization will be Mr. Peden's assistant. Mr. J. H. Regan has volunteered his services and is without remuneration handling most ably the Publicity Department for Mr. Peden. Mr. H. Wirt Steele, from Mr. Hoover's office, is also in Houston assisting the Administrator in various capacities. Upon the completion of details of organization, the first active steps taken by the Food Administrator was the creating of plans for the Pledge Card Campaign. The Administrator summoned to Houston representative men in public life from the State at large, and at a Conference held on October 9th, the State was divided into eight districts. It is the purpose of the Administrator to secure out of a population of over 4,000,000 not less than 500,000 families to sign the Pledge Card. The District Managers and their headquarters are as follows: J. R. Babcock, Dallas, Dist. No. 1. C. B. Collins, Lufkin, Dist. No. 2. C. R. Bone, Beaumont, Dist. No. 3. J. Z. George, Houston, Dist. No. 4. J. B. Carrington, San Antonio, Dist. No. 5. E. E. Kirkpatrick, Brownwood, Dist. No. 6. G. H. Clements, El Paso, Dist. No. 7. Porter B. Whaley, Amarillo, Dist. No. 8. District No. 1 has a population of 2,108,378. The goal of families desired is 241,900. District No. 2 has a population of 128,206. The goal of families desired is 15,700. District No. 3 has a population of 146,931. The goal of families desired is 16,700. District No. 4 has a population of 742,500. The goal of families desired is 81,700. District No. 5 has a population of 706,927. The goal of families desired is 80,900. District No. 6 has a population of 320,492. The goal of families desired is 36,700. District No. 7 has a population of 189,628. The goal of families desired is 21,600. District No. 8 has a population of 257,405. The goal of families desired is 33,000. From this list it will be seen that the Administrator has a colossal task before him, and in order to meet it successfully, the District Managers have designated County Chairmen for each county, and in turn these County Chairmen will secure volunteer workers for their respective school districts. Mr. Peden has made a special appeal to the men and women of Texas who have the leisure and the inclination to offer their services to the county Chairmen as volunteer workers. Not only must the card be brought into the homes and presented to the housewife, but the plea must be presented and the signature obtained. Then the card goes into the hands of the County Chairmen. From there it goes to the District Manager, and thence to the State Administrator, and later to National headquarters at Washington. The food administrator cannot emphasize too strongly the need of volunteer workers, and he asks earnestly that all who can do so, place themselves at the disposal of their County Chairmen for the week of October 28 to November 14, inclusive. It is an interesting fact that the hotels and cafes should be the first to respond to the need of conservation. The Food Administrator has received the warmest support of the Hotel men of Texas, and J. E. Daley, President of the Bender Hotel Company of Houston has been named Chairman of this Committee. R. L. Sanders, Secretary of Hotel Men's Association of Texas, and Proprietor of The Texas Hotel News, San Antonio, has been designated as Secretary of the Hotel and Restaurant Committee. The saving of hundreds of tons of food stuff, and the cutting down in the use of the material most needed at

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I, J. E. Crouch, City Clerk of the City of Hereford, Texas, in pursuance of the hereinafter set out resolution, do hereby give notice by publication of same, of the matters and things therein contained, which resolution is as follows, to-wit:

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Hereford has heretofore by resolution required and ordered that sidewalks should be constructed in accordance with the ordinances of the City of Hereford at the following described places along the following described property, situated in the City of Hereford, viz:

- ON MAIN STREET: In front of Lots 1 & 2 in Block 28, fronting 95 feet. ON MILES AVENUE: In front of Lots 11 & 12 in Block 27, fronting 120 feet. In front of Lots 9, 10, 11 & 12 in Block 28, fronting 220 feet. ON LEE AVENUE: In front of Lots 1 & 2 in Block 42, fronting 120 feet. In front of Lots 3 & 4 in Block 42, fronting 100 feet. ON FOURTH STREET: Along side of Lot No. 7 in Block 6, 160 feet. Whitehead Addition. ON FIFTH STREET: Along side of Lot No. 6 in Block 14, 160 feet. Along side of Lot No. 7 in Block 14, 160 feet. Along side of Lot No. 7 in Block 3, 160 feet. Whitehead Addition. ON ELEVENTH STREET: In front of Lots 1, 2, 3, & 4, in Block 15, 215 feet. In front of Lot 4, Block 15, 215 feet. In front of Lot 5 in Block 16, 163 1/2 feet. In front of Lot 6 in Block 16, 163 1/2 feet. Lots 31, 32 & 33 in Block 18, 195 feet. Lots 34, 35 & 36 in Block 18, 195 feet. ON SECOND STREET: Along side of Lots 12 & 13 in Block 18, 160 feet. ON THIRD STREET: Along side of Lot 1, in Block 25, 140 feet. The ordinances of the City require that all sidewalks shall be constructed on lines and grades furnished by the City and of such widths as the City may prescribe.

AND WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Hereford has heretofore by resolution required and ordered that a curb should be constructed in accordance with the ordinances of said City in front of Lots 11 & 12 in Block 27, 120 feet on Miles Avenue.

AND WHEREAS, the City of Hereford on the 22nd day of September, 1917, entered into a written contract with Carroll Bros. a partnership composed of W. A. Carroll and R. W. Carroll, by the terms of which the said Carroll Bros. have agreed to construct said sidewalks for the price of 18c per sq. ft., and to construct said curb for the price of 40c per running foot.

AND WHEREAS, the City Commission has caused a statement to be prepared showing the names of the persons owning property abutting on the proposed improvements, and describing each parcel of property by lot and block number and showing the number of front feet of each piece of abutting property which is substantially as follows:

Table with columns: Property Owner, Blk, Lot, Lin, Rate pr, Total Assmt. Lists property owners like Gough, Ricketts & Vaughn, C. D. Vasse, J. E. Glyvens, etc.

Now THEREFORE, resolved by the City Commission of the City of Hereford that the total cost of constructing the sidewalks and curbs along side and in front of the property above described shall be borne by and assessed against the abutting property and the owners thereof. And that the cost for constructing said sidewalks and curbs shall be payable in three equal installments, one of which shall be due within ten days after the acceptance of said work by the City; the second of which shall be due in sixty days thereafter; and the third shall be due in four months thereafter, with interest thereon at 8 per cent from the date of acceptance of said work.

Be it further resolved that a hearing shall be given to the owners of the property above described, their agents, or attorneys, and others interested in said matter, in the City office, in the Court House in Hereford, Texas, on the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time all of said owners, their agents, or attorneys and others interested are notified to appear and to be heard concerning said assessments and the amount assessed against each parcel of property and the owner thereof and the benefits to accrue thereto by reason of said improvements, and concerning any other matter or thing in connection therewith.

The City Clerk is hereby directed to give notice of said hearing by publishing a copy thereof three times in The Hereford Brand, the first publication of which shall be made at least fifteen days before said hearing and shall state time and place designated for the hearing. A Copy of said notice shall also be mailed to each owner of the property above described. Adopted Sept. 25, 1917. J. E. CROUCH, City Clerk. WM. M. KNIGHT, Mayor.

the front will result through the Texas and National conservation of Hotel food stuffs. The personnel of this Committee consists of:

- J. E. Daley, President, The Bender Hotel Co., Houston, Chairman. A. G. Pulver, Manager, The Rice Hotel, Houston. Otto Herold, President, The Oriental Hotel, Dallas. R. B. Ellifritz, Manager, The Adolph Hotel, Dallas. J. C. Cloyd, Proprietor, Metropolitan Hotel, Fort Worth. L. J. Hart, President, Gunter Hotel, San Antonio. Percy Tyrrell, Manager, Gunter Hotel, San Antonio. T. B. Baker, President, St. Anthony and Menger Hotels, San Antonio. Col. W. W. Seely, President, State House, Waco. Bert Orndorff, Proprietor, Orndorff Hotel, El Paso. W. L. Stark, Manager, Driskill Hotel, Austin. P. L. Sanders, Manager, Galvez Hotel, Galveston. P. D. Blinn, Manager, Crosby Hotel, Beaumont. R. L. Sanders, Secretary of Hotel Men's Association of Texas, and Proprietor of The Texas Hotel News, San Antonio. Food Bulletin No. 1 has been issued by the Hotel men and among the chief recommendations is the saving of sugar, wheat, meats, fats, and potatoes, and the serving of portions so there will be little or no waste whatever from returned dishes.

Not only the Hotel men and the Editorial men of the State have voluntarily drawn into the problem of conservation of food products, but also the Motion Picture exhibitors in Texas. On Friday morning, October 12th, E. H. Hulse, of the Hulse Amusement Enterprises, of Dallas, held a conference with Mr. Peden, and as the result of that conference slides and short film subjects pertaining to food conservation will be shown in all of the influential motion picture theatres of Texas.

It was the program of the Food Administrator to conduct the Pledge Card Campaign the week of October 21st to 28th, inclusive, but because of the shortness of time, and almost the physical impossibility of reaching the population of Texas as a whole, a special request was made of Mr. Hoover, the National Food Administrator, to postpone the campaign for one week. A telegram received Friday night from Washington, Mr. Peden has been instructed that the campaign may be delayed one week and will now be conducted October 28th to November 4th, inclusive. This will enable the District Managers to bring their machinery of operation up to a much higher degree of efficiency.

SLEEPLESSNESS TEARS DOWN WHAT RICH BLOOD BUILDS

Body that undergoes strenuous tasks during the day should be rested by sound sleep at night.

In whatever walk of life you may be, the time comes when you have an arduous task to perform. The strain on your entire system cannot be measured, suffice to say, after such strain, the body should be rested. This does not merely mean to throw yourself carelessly across the bed during the noon hour. This does not rest the body. Sleep—sound sleep—at night is the only thing that can successfully repair the damage to overworked systems or rest the mind and body and repair it for another day filled with just as hard work as the day before.

The days soon pile into years and if sleepless nights are your lot old age is going to creep up on you and lay a heavy hand on your shoulder that

slackens your pace, takes the twinkle from your eye and puts wrinkles on your face.

Here's a tip: Go to Betts' Clock Drug Co. or a 'live' druggist in your community and secure a bottle of P-P Systemic Pills.

Other than producing sound sleep, they are recommended for nervousness, stomach trouble, constipation, malaria, rheumatism, boils, indigestion, a poor blood supply, an inactive liver and a general run-down, fagged-out system.

DO NOT ACCEPT A SUBSTITUTE FOR THE PILLS.

Special discount for the next few days on light bulb glass in order to make room for our Christmas line. W. H. RAY.

Sheriff's Sale STATE OF TEXAS, County of Deaf Smith.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable County Court of Deaf Smith County, on the 19th day of September, 1917, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of SHERM WILLIAMS versus WILLIAM T. KEMPER, No. 530, and to me as Sheriff, decreed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST THURSDAY in November, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, before the Court House door of said Deaf Smith County, in the City of Hereford, the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas and being a portion of Capitol League Number 285 and being all of section No. 31, Township No. 5, north of Range No. 2 east, of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, as shown by a plat of such subdivision of record in the deed records of Deaf Smith County, Texas, in Vol. 45 at page 90 to 95.

Levied on as the property of William T. Kemper to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$76.56 in favor of SHERM WILLIAMS, and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of September, 1917.

(SEAL) C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff. Berry Orr, Deputy. 37-4t

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, Deaf Smith County, In District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas.

C. L. Sullivan, et al. vs. Louis E. Botts, et al. No. 427.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a judgment rendered, in said Court on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1911, in favor of C. L. Sullivan and S. I. Sullivan against Louis E. Botts, H. B. McKinley, Grant Doyle and the First State Bank & Trust Company of Hereford, numbered 437 on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1917, at 4 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tract, lot and parcel of land situated in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties, Texas, and being all of the East half of Abstract No. 25, Certificate No. 1233, Grantee B. S. & F. Survey No. 115, in Block M. 2, containing 330.13 acres of land, and on the First Tuesday in November, being the sixty (60) day of said November, A. D. 1917, between the hours of ten (10) o'clock a. m. and four (4) o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said Deaf Smith County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Louis E. Botts, Grant Doyle, H. B. McKinley and the First State Bank and Trust Company of Hereford in and to said property.

Dated at Hereford, Texas, this 8th day of October, A. D. 1917.

C. S. PURCELL, Sheriff of Deaf Smith County, Texas. 37-3t.

The Guinea That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and invigorative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. CATARRH is a blood or constitutional disease and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists price 50c. Take Your Family Pills for constipation.

WOODMEN OF WORLD Meets every Second and Fourth Saturday nights in the I. O. O. F. hall.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Hereford Lodge No. 549, A. F. & A. M. meets Saturday night on or before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. GEO. BEAMS W. M.; J. S. Jones Sec.

Professional and Business Cards

J. M. HYDEN Optometrist and Optician Rooms 11-14 Smith Building just north of new P. O. Bldg. between 6 & 7th on Taylor St. Carl House (Hereford) last Tuesday of each month. Eyes examined Free. Glasses fitted without the use of Drugs. Phone for engagement. 7

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THE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, HEREFORD, TEXAS, IS GOING TO BUILD

THE CONTRACT WILL BE LET BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1918

JNO. F. SLATON,
Ed. in Chief.

No. 6—October 18, 1917

CARL GILLIAND,
Business Mgr.

Roll of Membership of Hereford M. E. Church South

1 Acker, Clifford	153 McLain, Mrs. John
2 Anthony, W. B.	154 McNutt, E. W.
3 Anthony, Mrs. W. B.	155 McNutt, Myrtle
4 Anthony, Annie	156 Newell, J. O.
5 Anthony, May	157 Newell, Mrs. J. O.
6 Anthony, Wesley	158 Ott, A. A.
7 Ashbrook, D. F.	159 Park, Mrs. Myra
8 Ashbrook, Mrs. F. D. F.	160 Parker, G. A. F.
9 Betts, Mrs. E. H.	161 Parker, Mrs. G. A. F.
10 Betts, Ernest	162 Farmer, W. B.
11 Betts, Mrs. Ernest	163 Farmer, Mrs. W. B.
12 Betts, Mabel	164 Farmer, Buford
13 Bennett, W. H.	165 Farmer, Dudley
14 Black, E. B.	166 Farmer, Nellie
15 Black, Mrs. E. B.	167 Farmer, Mary
16 Black, Jim	168 Patton, Mrs. N. M.
17 Black, Elizabeth	169 Patton, John
18 Borden, Mrs. L. F.	170 Patton, Lella
19 Bowers, J. H.	171 Phillips, J. B.
20 Bowers, Mrs. J. H.	172 Phillips, Mrs. J. B.
21 Bradley, Lola	173 Phillips, Cassie
22 Bradley, Bruce	174 Phipps, Mrs. G. F.
23 Brockhahn, Mrs. Geo.	175 Pollock, Mrs. J. C.
24 Brittan, Mrs. F. H.	176 Pollock, Blanche
25 Bryant, D. H.	177 Pollock, Pearl
26 Bryant, Mrs. D. H.	178 Potts, J. Frank
27 Cardwell, J. H.	179 Potts, Mrs. J. Frank
28 Cardwell, Mrs. J. H.	180 Price, Dr. W. A.
29 Carlyle, Lemuel	181 Price, Mrs. W. A.
30 Carlyle, Mrs. Lemuel	182 Price, Annie
31 Carlyle, Howard	183 Price, Bernadine
32 Carlyle, Lois	184 Poindexter, Mrs. Jessie
33 Carter, E. Sr.	185 Purcell, C. S.
34 Carter, Mrs. E.	186 Purcell, Mrs. C. S.
35 Carter, Albert	187 Radcliff, Mrs. Marye
36 Caylor, George	188 Radcliff, Glenn
37 Caylor, Mrs. Geo.	189 Radcliff, Mary
38 Caylor, Juanita	190 Randall, G. E.
39 Caylor, Charles	191 Randall, Mrs. G. R.
40 Chenoweth, C. C.	192 Ray, W. H.
41 Chenoweth, Mrs. C. C.	193 Rayzor, Edith
42 Churchill, Mrs. C. H.	194 Reed, Lucy
43 Clem, Nellie E.	195 Ricketts, L. A.
44 Cloyd, George	196 Ricketts, Mrs. L. A.
45 Copeland, J. H.	197 Rice, H. L.
46 Copeland, Mrs. J. H.	198 Rice, Mrs. H. L.
47 Copeland, John R.	199 Rockwell, C. C.
48 Cox, Mrs. M. E.	200 Rockwell, Mrs. C. C.
49 Cobb, Mrs. Will	201 Rolison, F. T.
50 Coker, R. L.	202 Rolison, Mrs. F. T.
51 Coker, Mrs. R. L.	203 Ross, W. G.
52 Crawford, D. W.	204 Ross, Mrs. W. G.
53 Crawford, Mrs. D. W.	205 Rutherford, Mrs. Hattie
54 Crouch, J. E.	206 Rutherford, Glenna
55 Crouch, Mrs. J. E.	207 Saitman, Fred
56 Cummins, J. C.	208 Saitman, Mrs. Fred
57 Cummins, Mrs. J. C.	209 Sawyer, Logan
58 Davis, W. E. B.	210 Sawyer, Mrs. Annie
59 Davis, Mrs. W. E. B.	211 Schultz, A. B.
60 Decker, J. E.	212 Schultz, Mrs. A. B.
61 Decker, Mrs. J. E.	213 Shafer, R. W.
62 Denny, Robert	214 Sherman, Jno. W.
63 Denny, Mrs. Robert	215 Sherman, Mrs. John W.
64 Dickert, Willie	216 Sharp, O. L.
65 Duncan, Martha	217 Sharp, Mrs. O. L.
66 Duncan, Claudia	218 Sites, H. Z.
67 Duncan, Ella	219 Sites, Mrs. H. Z.
68 Daniels, Mrs. Ell	220 Sites, Temple
69 Daniels, Clara	221 Sites, Donalda
70 Daniels, Mary	222 Sites, Grace
71 Daniels, W. E.	223 Slaton, Jno. P.
72 Daniels, Mrs. W. E.	224 Smith, Clarence
73 Edwards, S. B.	225 Smith, Mrs. Clarence
74 Edwards, Mrs. S. B.	226 Smith, Ralph
75 Edwards, Lloyd	227 Smith, W. H.
76 Edwards, Mrs. W. H.	228 Smith, Mrs. W. H.
77 Edwards, Lula	229 Smith, Elsie
78 Edwards, Percy	230 Snyder, Glenn
79 Estes, Mrs. Percy	231 Snyder, Mrs. Glenn
80 Forister, Mrs. L. M.	232 Spratt, I. H.
81 Forson, P. H.	233 Spratt, Mrs. I. H.
82 Forson, Mrs. P. H.	234 Spratt, Litteral
83 Forson, Erma	235 Spradley, Mrs. J. W.
84 Freeman, Dr. J. A.	236 Stafford, M. C.
85 Freeman, Mrs. J. A.	237 Stegall, J. A.
86 Fulwood, E. H.	238 Stegall, Mrs. J. A.
87 Fulwood, Mrs. E. H.	239 Stegall, Frank
88 Fulwood, W. S.	240 Stocking, Roy M.
89 Gilliam, Mrs. Ella	241 Stocking, Mrs. Roy M.
90 Gilliland, Carl	242 Sullivan, C. L.
91 Hammer, Mrs. Dollie	243 Turner, B. F.
92 Hammer, Ona	244 Turner, Mrs. B. F.
93 Harrison, Mrs. E. W.	245 Turrentine, Mrs. M. E.
94 Hawkins, D. W.	246 Turrentine, D. E.
95 Hawkins, Mrs. D. W.	247 Turrentine, Mrs. D. E.
96 Hawkins, H. H.	248 Turrentine, G. P.
97 Hawkins, Mrs. H. H.	249 Turrentine, Fannie
98 Hawkins, Raymond	250 Walker, C. E.
99 Heard, G. W.	251 Walker, Mrs. C. E.
100 Heard, Mrs. G. W.	252 Walker, J. E.
101 Helfner, T. N.	253 Walker, Mrs. J. E.
102 Helfner, Mrs. T. N.	254 Walker, J. I.
103 Hicks, Henry	255 Walker, Mrs. J. I.
104 Hicks, Mrs. Henry	256 Walker, Fred
105 Hicks, C. M.	257 Ward, J. V.
106 Hicks, Mrs. C. M.	258 Ward, Mrs. J. J.
107 Hill, C. D.	259 Webb, H. B.
108 Hill, Mrs. C. D.	260 Webb, H. B.
109 Huffstater, Oliver	261 Webb, Edgar
110 Huffstater, Mrs. Oliver	262 White, Samuel E.
111 Hough, Mrs. Reece	263 White, Mrs. S. E.
112 Hough, Mrs. Luther	264 Wilkinson, Henry
113 Hough, Thelma	265 Williams, Silas J.
114 Hughes, Mrs. G. A.	266 Williams, Mrs. S. J.
115 Hughes, Jas. A.	267 Williams, John
116 Hughes, Mrs. J. A.	268 Williams, Brack
117 Hughes, Lula	269 Williams, Chas. B.
118 Ivey, Gladys	270 Williams, Mrs. C. B.
119 Jacobs, Rich. H.	271 Williams, Silas
120 Jacobs, Jno. N.	272 Williams, Sherman
121 Jacobsen, Mrs. J. N.	273 Williams, Zola
122 Jones, Mrs. J. B.	274 Wilson, Earl E.
123 Lamb, E. H. Jr.	275 Wilson, Mrs. E. E.
124 Lamb, Mrs. E. H. Jr.	276 Wilson, Kate
125 Lamb, Miss Webb	277 Wycbe, J. S.
126 Landrum, L. P.	278 Wycbe, Mrs. J. S.
127 Landrum, Mrs. L. P.	279 Wyatt, Rev. G. S.
128 Landrum, Oms	280 Wyatt, Mrs. G. S.
129 Landrum, Mamsie	281 Wyatt, Francis
130 Landrum, Joe	282 Wyatt, G. S. Jr.
131 Lewis, Mrs. Geo. F.	283 Wyatt, Mrs. G. S. Jr.
132 Miles, Mr.	284 Begeman, Roy
133 Miles, Mrs.	285 Mr. Berry
134 Mitchell, Mrs. J. S.	286 Mrs. Percy Welliver
135 Mooney, Mrs. R. T.	287 Mrs. E. F. Parker
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138 Montgomery, W. J.	
139 Montgomery, Mrs. W. J.	
140 Myrick, H. C.	
141 Myrick, Mrs. H. C.	
142 Myrick, Ruth	
143 Murphy, Mrs. J. C.	
144 Murphy, Albert	
145 McCard, J. B.	
146 McCard, Mrs. J. B.	
147 McDuff, Mrs. A. W.	
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List of Names of Subscribers, Amount Subscribed, and Amount Now Paid in.

NAMES	Amt. Sub.	Has Paid
Letter from Prof. F. P. Wilson, Supt. of McLean Public School.		
"McLean, Texas, Oct. 9th, 1917.		
Mr. J. P. Slaton, Hereford, Texas.		
Dear Friend:		
I notice in The Brand the subscription and amount paid by the Sunday school class to building the church was omitted. I think our subscription was \$60.00, twenty-five of which I paid Mr. Parker before I left. I hope the church is built before the war ends, and you can guess how soon I hope that consummation will be realized.		
Your friend, F. P. WILSON.		
Yes, you are correct in the above statements as to amounts. Since you left \$50.00 more has been paid by your class. One-half of the subscription is now paid. You should have remembered that we have repeatedly stated that we were not giving all amounts which have been subscribed. Neither have we yet given all amounts of cash which have been paid in.		
Miss Mary Dunlap's class has paid in \$9.00. Mrs. J. A. Stegall's class has paid in \$19.00. The Primary Department has paid in \$2.25. Miss Elizabeth Stegall \$1.00. Miss Louise Ricketts \$1.00. Miss Beulah Lee Rutherford \$1.00. Miss Maurine Hughes \$1.00.		
The Sunday school children and all the Sunday School realize the need of the new church. These children are seeking instruction in God's Word, "forbid them not." Will the parents and others refuse to give the same opportunity and advantage for the instruction of these children in His Word and His cause that is so zealously provided in your public schools.		
Is it possible that you think less and care less for the moral and religious training and instruction of these children than you do for their material, worldly training and instruction. What if the public schools of this town were being daily conducted in an old parlor of a barn and a dozen recitations by as many classes being conducted in one room at the same time. What would you do? Every Methodist in this town together with the other citizens would shut up shop and demand that suitable buildings be at once provided. Oh, no, you wouldn't stand for that one week in your public schools. But then the public schools are for the purpose of training and preparing your child to attain to position and make money in this life, and the Sunday School does not amount to anything more than training that child to become a Christian.		
Suppose all the Methodist children should go on a strike and refuse to attend your sham Sunday School any more until you parents provide a decent place for them. Wouldn't they have the best of the argument. Could you parents answer them if your own children should accuse you of worshipping \$\$\$\$\$\$ instead of God? If you denied it, couldn't they prove it on you? Are your own children justified in thinking and believing that you love \$\$\$\$\$\$ more than you do their souls and their moral and religious training? Are they? These children look at your buildings and your business conveniences and homes and automobiles and compare all these with the THING you are providing for YOUR God. Does the comparison have a tendency to cause them to respect YOUR God? Or does the comparison have a tendency to cause them to understand that the main goal is \$\$\$\$\$\$ and property? Will the comparison have a tendency to cause your children and your neighbors children to believe your professions and your statements when you talk to them about YOUR God and the love and confidence you have in Him and the blessings He will give and the care He will take of you and them? That child may not reply to your talk about what you think of YOUR God, but don't you make the mistake that you have deceived and soft soaped such a child, because that young mind is working just as rapidly and truly concerning you and your conduct in paying tribute and obedience to that God as your mind is working. And that child knows that you are feigning and trying to get it to do a thing which you are not doing. Suppose that child in its innocence should ask you several "whys". You would begin to back away and you would get out of the presence of that child as quickly as possible. You know you would. The question may not be asked, but that child is thinking and making the comparison just the same.		

Editorials, Clippings and Quotations

THE LAW

Rev. Wyatt preached his annual legal and doctrinal sermon last Sunday at eleven. The law requires each Methodist Minister engaged in the regular work to deliver such a sermon each year. He handled his subject well and made it very interesting as well as instructive.

We learned something about the law governing the building committee which has been appointed here. We learned that the law is that the members of a church building committee must be first nominated by the P. C. That the names of those so suggested or nominated must be presented to a regular quarterly conference and elected or appointed as the building committee by that conference. We also learned that the law is that after that building committee has been appointed by the quarterly conference that it must make its report to some subsequent quarterly conference. All of us didn't know that did we? We thought that we could quit or discharge ourselves or be discharged by most any one at any time. But it seems that when a building committee is once appointed by a regular quarterly conference as our building committee was that such building committee has a job until it is discharged by some other quarterly conference. It further seems that that building committee is an independent body of its own and not subject to the orders of the Bishop, the Presiding Elder, the Preacher in Charge, the Board of Stewards, the Board of Trustees or even the other members of the same church. That Building Committee is some pumpkins and subject only to the orders of a regular quarterly conference. It furnishes its own gas, runs under its own power, starts and stops only by its own automatic mechanism, directs its own course and doesn't take orders from any one. Some pumpkins, eh? Get out of the way, we are going to build.

Did you receive that letter with the note attached asking you to sign the note for your subscription for the building of this church? The building committee is composed of the nine members whose names have been repeatedly published. Seven of the nine members of the building committee voted "Yes" to send that letter and note to you. Rev. Wyatt has the original letter and note on which the seven members of the building committee wrote with their own hands "Yes" after their names.

Surely this building committee has investigated and knows that the thing can be done and that it is proper and right and time now to do it. Your quarterly conference appointed them for that purpose. Surely you will not refuse or even delay to comply with the request of the building committee. Act now and do not wait for other committees to be appointed and be compelled to nag at you personally.

If any Methodist makes the statement that he is not able at this time to subscribe to the building of the church because he has to help the government by buying liberty bonds, you tell him he is a fraud. That will cover the case and will be a fact. Ask him how much cash he has paid for the buying of liberty bonds. Ask him to go with you to his banker and show how much cash he has paid on liberty bonds.

You can buy a \$100.00 liberty bond by paying \$2.00 cash and \$18.00 on November 15th and \$40.00 December 15th and \$40.00 January 15th. Or you can have the banks advance you all the money to buy that liberty bond and then sell the bond and pay the bank the money.

The fact is that any one can arrange to buy and can buy and dispose of a \$100.00 liberty bond and not lose over \$2.00 in the transaction. The business men of this community know that they can subscribe for and take \$1000.00 worth of liberty bonds and sell them and not be out over \$25.00 or \$30.00. Therefore, we say, that should anyone offer as an excuse for not subscribing to the church building that they have to buy liberty bonds, that is a dodge and a fraud, and they are not giving the real and true reason for refusing to pay what they owe to the church.

Why not have the committees which have been appointed to sell liberty bonds and at the same time have the purchaser donate them to the building of the church.

Paid Advertisement.

General Purpose Column

Seven members of the building committee voted to send you that letter of October 6th, which has the note attached to it, and those seven wrote with their own hands their vote of "Yes" on the bottom of the original letter which is in the possession of Rev. Wyatt and which you may see if you wish. Won't you all comply with their request at once and not delay the whole church? Don't wait for another committee to call on you personally.

If the assessment for you to pay is less than \$100.00, then buy a \$50.00 Liberty Bond and thereby loan to your government the money for the protection it has given you and your property in the past and the protection it will give in the future. Donate that \$50.00 liberty bond to the church on your subscription and sign the note for the balance.

Buy a Liberty Bond and donate that as part payment for your subscription and sign the note for the balance.

The ladies of this church will render a greater service to all by taking some time from the Red Cross work and putting it in at selling Liberty Bonds. By selling Liberty Bonds and having them donated for the building of the church you are serving a double purpose and two noble and necessary causes in the one act. The man who buys the Liberty Bond and donates it for the building of the church is also making his money serve the same double purpose and paying two obligations with each dollar.

BUY A LIBERTY BOND

We notice in a number of papers that many churches throughout the United States are investing moneys which they have on hand in Liberty Bonds. And why not? We clip the following from Amarillo Daily News of last Sunday:

Arizona Methodists Buy Bonds

TUSCON, Ariz., Oct. 13.—When the annual conference of the Arizona Methodists Mission in session here today learned from its treasurer's report that it had \$1,200 remaining in the treasury, it unanimously voted to invest the money in liberty bonds.

The Methodist of Hereford have a greater opportunity and a double duty resting upon them. You owe to this government and to humanity and to the young men who have gone to the front from this community your allegiance and your money in supporting them. Your talk and good wishes are not enough. Buy a Liberty Bond which is worth every dollar you are asked to pay for it.

You, Methodist, owe to God's government and humanity and to the young men and boys and girls who have not gone to the front your allegiance and your money in supporting the cause of Christ. Your talk and good wishes are not enough. Donate that Liberty Bond to the building of God's Fort and cantonment in this community. We are going to build.

Does any Methodist in Hereford deny his duty and obligation to this government to buy a Liberty Bond? Will any deny the need of our government of this money? Does any Methodist in Hereford deny his duty and obligation to support the church? Will any deny the need of a church building? We are going to build.

Do you say that you are not able to buy a Liberty Bond and also to help build the church. Surely you will not deny both these obligations. You can pay both obligations in full with the same dollar. Buy a Liberty Bond and donate it to the building of the church, for we are going to build.

Members—Honor Roll

We fully intended to begin transferring names of members from the membership column on the left to this column in this issue, but several things have contributed to prevent it. But as SURE AS WE LIVE the names will be found in this column next week. Do you believe it? If you don't just read the first line at the top of this page. We are going to build.

Again we repeat that ninety per cent of the membership of the Methodist Church at Hereford are ready, able and anxious to build.

Again we explain that all members who sign the notes for the amounts asked for and deliver them to the Secretary and Treasurer of THE BUILDING COMMITTEE will have their names removed from the membership columns on the left and carried in this column. The amounts asked for and subscribed by them will not be shown in this column or elsewhere. That is fair and just to all.

A number have signed and delivered the notes which were mailed to them. Others have said they were going to do so, when, God only knows. They mean to do so, but its just the nature of some folks to be inert, sluggish, lifeless, to delay. Those are the ones on whom the whole church is waiting. Why don't you sign the note and take it, send it, mail it—get in some way today? The whole thing is standing and waiting on these drags. We venture the assertion that when some people die their bodies will not head the funeral procession to the cemetery, it will be dragging up at the tail end.

We want to get the names of the majority of the members in this column next week. A good majority have made up their minds to sign the notes. We know from what we have heard. Will you sign and deliver that note without waiting for the committee to see you personally, or will you set and set and set and then set. If never in life you lead the procession, then make the request just before you die that you lead it to the cemetery.

We don't mean much of this for you, it's that other fellow, but we do suggest that you sign and deliver that note at once.

To the Sunday School

Every boy and girl who attend the Methodist Sunday school is hereby appointed to help raise the subscription to build this church. Let all the Sunday School children and also older ones begin now to ask all the church members to sign the notes and send them in today and every day. Get the list of the names published in the Brand and see the members and phone them day and night and tell them to hurry up and sign the notes.

Each of you ask your parents if they have signed the notes. If they say no make them explain why they haven't. Get The Brand and call them at their places of business in the day and at their homes at night and tell them to sign the notes for the new building. The children of the Sunday School can build this house. Try it. Ask all of your little friends and all other Sunday School children if their parents have signed the notes. If they have not get them to explain why they have not.

We want every child to pay in a dollar this week so that we can publish your names in The Brand and show that you are interested. And we want every child and all the young people of the Sunday School to get busy and keep busy asking all the members to sign the notes. Make a report to Brother Wyatt each Sunday how many members you have seen and how many children you have told to ask their parents to sign the notes.