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for your patronage
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you our wishes for

A Merry Christmas and
A Happy New Year

Barr & Hastings
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MERRY CHRISTMAS HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Informer trusts that every one of its readers and friends—every man, woman and child in Hedley and surrounding communities—is enjoying life, and that for you this is indeed A Merry Christmas.

And may New Years Day find you happy and fresh for the big work that the new Year will necessarily bring us.

May 1919 be our best year to date—both individually and collectively. And there's no shadow of doubt that it will be if we will go to work and take advantage, intelligently and unselfishly, of our opportunities.

All we need is a little "Team work." "Every fellow for himself and the devil take the hindmost" is a bum slogan. It won't work; we've tried it.

"Grand stand plays win applause, but it takes team work to win pennants." Never was anything truer than that. Let's try team work this year.

We may be positively sure of one thing: We'll go either forward or backward the coming year; we won't stand still.

Speaking for myself, we fully intend to make some progress or bust a ligament trying to.

We want your co-operation.

And, again, to all of you—

Merry Christmas!

Happy New Year!

FOR SALE—A Jersey cow. See W. A. Luttrell.

The Informer is not publishing all the news this week. We are "taking Christmas" with the balance of the good folks, and getting a long breath for the 1919 marathon. If you've had any Christmas visitors, or know of other news items, phone us or tell us for next week's paper. Now, don't forget it.

FARM FOR SALE—100 acre sandy land farm, five miles north of Hedley. For information see U. J. Boston.

Bond W. Johnson was on the streets again this week, after a confinement of several days to his room.

FOR TRADE—A 1 Vendors Lien Notes for some good teams and farming tools. W. Howell.

A PUBLIC HEALTH MEETING AT ESTELINE

The Childress-Collingworth-Donley-Hall County Medical Society will have a Public Health meeting at Esteline January 3rd. Everyone is invited. Come and hear subjects discussed that will interest all. A most interesting program will be rendered.

Meeting called to order at the Baptist church at 2 p. m. by the President, Dr. W. S. Miller, of Esteline.

Invocation, Rev. J. W. Hemmree.

Music.

Welcome Address, Mayor H. W. Mitchell.

Music.

Address, Dr. J. J. Crume of Amarillo.

Address, Dr. B. L. Jenkins of Clarendon.

Address, Dr. J. W. Gooch of Shamrock.

Address, Hon. W. S. Bell of Crowell.

Address, Hon. H. B. Hill of Shamrock.

Benediction, Rev. Quattlebaum H. L. Wilder, Sec. Treas.

FOR SALE—worth the money—my residence with half block of land. T. M. Strawn

We were glad to see Si Richerson out this morning, following a rather severe seige under the blankets.

FOR SALE—About 4000 bundles of maize and kafir. Maize is well grazed. Phone 41 2SIL. I. O. Haynes.

The good news is reported to this office that all of Hedley's flu sufferers and other sick folks are on the mend. We rejoice in this glad tidings, believe us.

Tuesday's Star-Telegram carried information that Arthur L. Greer of Hedley had been slightly wounded in action some weeks ago. We hope he is up and about ere this. From all reports that have reached Hedley, "Bud" has proved himself much of a man on the battlefield—just as we all felt sure he would.

Miss Ethel Whittington has returned from Ft. Worth, where she completed a course in the Brantley-Draughon Business College. She got here in time to eat Christmas dinner with the home folks.

WE WANT YOUR Chickens and Eggs!

We want to buy your POULTRY, EGGS, BUTTER,—ALL KINDS OF COUNTRY PRODUCE.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID.

We also want to supply your needs in Dry Goods and Groceries. Our prices are right.

TIMS & COOPER

Greetings!

A Merry Christmas

AND A

Happy New Year

TO ALL OF YOU

R. S. Smith

The Produce Man

IT IS OUR CONSTANT
STUDY TO GIVE

—the people of this community the best banking facilities obtainable.

Our Experience and Equipment make this possible.

Make use of these things that are here for your benefit.

Guaranty State Bank
HEDLEY, TEXAS

Give Useful Gifts

Have a Fine Assortment of

SILVERWARE

CUT GLASS

QUEENSWARE

RUGS and

FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS

Oil and Coal Stoves

Moreman & Battle

Dealers in Hardware and Furniture

ESSENTIALS FOR GOOD COW BARN

Individual Drinking Cup One of Most Important.

BUILDING SHOULD BE WARM

Proper Ventilation Also Matter That Requires Consideration in Order to Keep Cattle in Best of Health at All Times.

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF CHARGE on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose three-cent stamp for reply.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

While I was talking recently with a dairyman who is making plans for building a barn, and who has made a long and careful study of handling live stock, he stated that his first consideration was the proper planning of a barn that would be built warm enough to keep it comfortable for his stock at all times during the most severe winter weather.

The second consideration was ventilation, because it would keep his cattle in the best of health, it would in-

has proved to be the ideal way in which to water the dairy cow because each cow drinks out of her own cup and she can drink at any time.

So many tests have been made with the individual watering cup for the dairy cow that some of the manufacturers are offering to sell these on a guarantee that they will pay for themselves in 60 days.

How is it that an individual watering cup will pay for itself in 60 days? Simply because the cow gets the water in the quantities which she requires, and whenever she needs it, and there is no danger of this water being contaminated by some other animal which may be diseased.

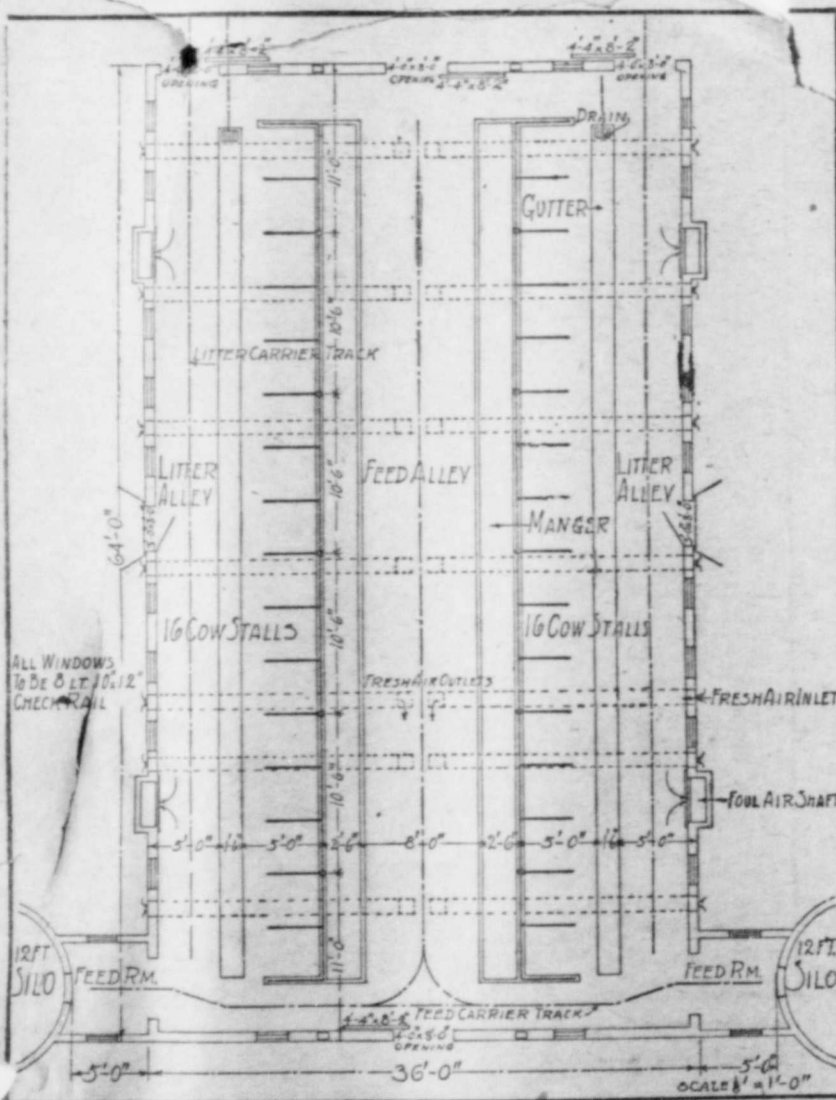
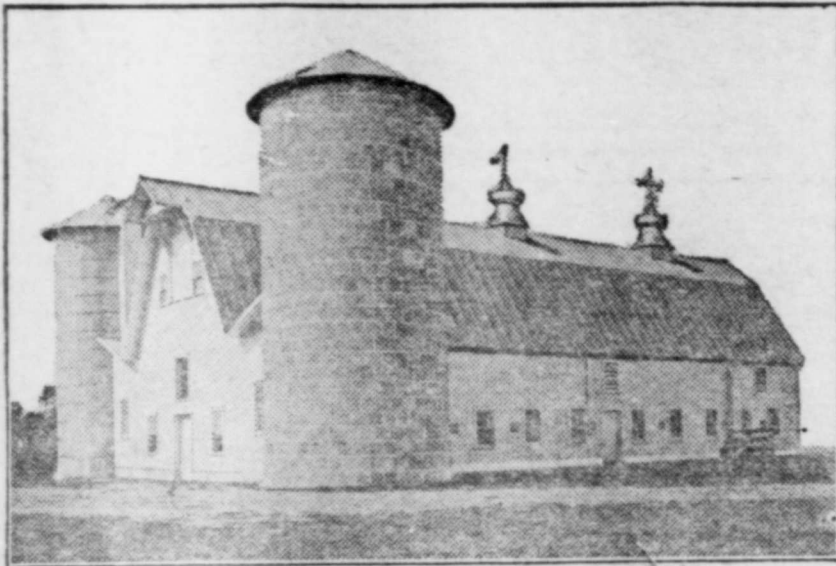
A short time ago we were talking with a high official of the Illinois state council of defense regarding the value of farm buildings as an aid to food production. We were putting to the front the smaller and more inexpensive types of buildings as being more in line with war economy and the spirit of the times; and were rather making excuses for some of our large dairy barn designs.

"Not at all," this official declared. "To the farmer who has a big herd of cows that big barn is necessary; and he ought to be encouraged to build it."

Design Shows Dairy Barn.

The accompanying design is a fine type of dairy barn of generous size. It stables 32 cows in a gambrel roof building 36 by 64 feet. The building looks larger than this, because of the two silos at the front. These are 12-foot silos connected to the barn by a 5-foot feed room, which makes the total frontage of this building 70 feet.

The ventilation of this barn is taken care of in an unusual way. The four foot air shafts project outside the



First Floor Plan.

crease their production and would add many years to the life of the building, as the excessive moisture would be drawn out through the ventilating system and thus prevent the lumber in the building from rotting.

His third consideration was individual drinking cups, and the fourth, sanitary barn equipment.

Every one of these items is very important in the modern barn, and if you analyze them carefully you will find that this dairyman has solved the problem and is going to put in his modern devices according to their importance in the building.

When barns were built without concrete floors and mangers, the dairy were turned out to the watering place or twice a day, and allowed to drink from the water.

The concrete mangers were put in, and arrangements were made for cases whereby the water could be turned into these mangers several times a day, and the water was from one end of the manger to the other, so that, while they were drinking, there was still a fresh supply of water.

"That's the way with me," replied the former undertaker. New York Evening Post.

Every man examined at Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., is asked what his business was before entering the army. For some reason this duty is entrusted to the examining doctor.

"And what was your business before you gave your services to Uncle Sam?" he inquired of one smiling recruit.

"I was an undertaker," came the reply.

"What made you take up that business?" snapped the doctor.

"I'll answer that question," replied the soldier. "If you will answer one question for me."

"Go ahead," said the doctor.

"What made you go in for doctoring?"

"Blessed if I know," admitted the M. D.

"That's the way with me," replied the former undertaker. New York Evening Post.

A Flyer, No Doubt.

June—"Dolly de Dolly is a rare bird, don't you think?" Jack—"Yes, and the best of it is she's a bird, too."

WHAT CAN WE DO?



From the Red Cross Bulletin, issued at Washington, D. C., July 8, the following article appears about the motor corps service:

"More than six thousand women now are included in the personnel of the Red Cross motor corps service. As a result of a conference recently held in Washington at the call of the director of the bureau of motor corps service, the motor service in six of the principal cities of the country which previously had been independent in its organization, was amalgamated with the Red Cross corps. This makes the Red Cross motor corps service a thoroughly co-ordinated institution, able to meet the local and inter-local demands for transportation throughout the length and breadth of the land on a national basis.

The organizations which have become parts of the Red Cross motor corps service are the motor messenger service of Philadelphia, the National Service league motor corps of Atlanta, the National Service league motor corps of New York city and Buffalo, the emergency motor corps of New Orleans, and the emergency drivers of Chicago. All these organizations were represented at the conference by their commanding officers, who now become commanders of the Red Cross motor corps service in their respective cities. The four independent services

added more than six hundred members to the motor corps ranks.

In the comparatively few months during which the national bureau has been in control of the volunteer motor corps of the various cities, important progress has been made in efficiency and uniformity of service. Rules and requirements have been standardized so that those not enthusiastically inclined in their work find no interest in the service. Under the conditions existing a certified driver feels pride in her position.

In conformity with the request of the war department the uniform of khaki and the insignia formerly employed have been discarded. The new regulation uniform of the motor corps is to be of Red Cross oxford gray. Commanders will wear three silver diamonds, embroidered on their shoulder straps. Captains will wear two silver diamonds, first lieutenants one, and second lieutenants a gilt diamond. Pearl gray tabs on the collar will indicate staff officers. Service stripes will be worn on the sleeves.

The cars of the service are to be distinguished by a white metal pennant, bearing the red cross and the words "Motor Corps." This and the driver's identification card will be sufficient to give the cars the right of way when on official business.

Georgette and Satin Join Forces



Georgette crepe and satin have rivaled one another in afternoon gowns during the present summer, with georgette the choice a little more often than satin. But with summer on the wane, the indications are that satin will outstrip georgette and hold first place in fashion's favor. A lovely gown is shown in the picture, in which these two beautiful materials have joined forces to make a dress of wonderful distinction in which beige colored georgette and black satin are brightened with a beaded passementerie. It is one of the new evolutions that have come along in the train of slip-over garments.

There are several features in this new model that will commend it to the woman who has present need of a new afternoon gown. We have come to the place where it goes without saying that an afternoon gown will do double duty as long as it survives the demands made upon it for both afternoon and evening; for it must take the place of evening gowns. To begin with the most essential of all things, this particular model has beautiful lines. It is cut in an original manner with a narrow yoke and upper portion of the sleeves in one. The body of the gown hangs in straight lines from the yoke, to which it is attached with hemstitching. The lower part of the long flaring sleeve is joined to the upper portion in the same way.

The lower part of the gown shows two wide bands of black satin, one of them set on to an underslip of silk and the other to the georgette of the frock. Where these are joined two narrow bands of beaded trimming, in black and beige, make a very rich and effective finish. The sleeves are banded with this trimming at the hand. The underslip is of beige colored foulard, with a black scroll design in it, but plain foulard or taffeta is as good a choice for a gown that is to do duty for evening wear. The narrow sash is of black satin and loops over at the back, weighted

the ends with beaded tassels. A hat with black malines brim and black panne velvet crown is noncommittal as to whether it is a summer or winter affair; it belongs to either, and is a fine companion piece for the gown.

Julia Bottomley

From Center of Ball.

There is a way of winding wool for knitting and that is the way that causes the wool to unwind from the center. To do this roll a piece of stiff paper two and a half inches long by two inches wide into a tube. Measure off about eight inches of wool at the end and begin winding the rest about the tube. When enough has been wound to hold the tube securely tuck the eight-inch loose end completely into one end of the tube. Do not cover this end in further winding, but the other end may be covered. It is best to wind six or eight times in one direction before turning to wind in another direction. When the skein is completely wound tuck the last end well into the ball. Pull out the skein bringing with it the long loose end of the knitting. If many balls are wound once or if a ball is not to be used immediately it is a good idea to tuck the tube to remain in the ball till ready for use.

Darning Tip.

When underlating and darning a sleeve, where you are apt to catch the under side of the sleeve, slip a piece of stiff glazed paper into the sleeve. You can then work freely and feel sure that your needle will not catch through the paper.

Life in Lingerie.

Lace is so much used in fine lingerie, and the finest of lace is used with it. It is a good idea to wear a well-fitting underslip with a lace trim. This will keep the lace from being soiled and will also keep the lace from being soiled and will also keep the lace from being soiled.

Little Stories From Real Life Illustrating How They Back Up Uncle Sam.

LIBERTY BONDS TEACH THRIFT

Encourage Saving Habit Who Never Saved Great Crisis Demands Best From All

By HERBERT

President of the N. Y. Group of April

Did you read that? The other day I distinguished and of Chicago who died hospital, unknown. He was an old man, very, forgotten by his prosperity. The about to consign the of a Liberty bond, for \$50. He had once belonged. He was notified and gave him a C. burial, the undertaker and came accepting the bond in payment of coffin and lot.

Jamie, We Salute You!

A good man and true is Jamie Bliss, age five years, who lives with mamma and papa on a farm near Eau Claire, Wis. Jamie had heard all the discussion about Liberty bonds and Thrift stamps, and, not yet being established in business for himself, was puzzled a little to know how such a little boy could have a part in this great undertaking. At the same time he learned how sorely our fighting men need wool and the great idea came to him. Without consulting anyone, Jamie started about the farm harvesting from hedges and wire fences the little wisps of wool left there as his father's sheep pastured. As a result of his expedition Jamie came into the house with his pockets and inside of his waist bulging with wool. Mamma Bliss was somewhat astonished when he explained that he was gathering wool to sell so he could buy Thrift stamps, but being a wise mother, she saw the point quickly.

Since then Honorable Jamie, wool gatherer to Uncle Sam, makes daily excursions into the sheep pasture. Already his wool has purchased two \$5 War Savings stamps and a good start toward another one. This, folks, is something which was not taught out of a book, but it is a sample of the patriotic citizenship now growing up, ready to stand at the helm a few decades hence.

Becoming a Bondholder.

Among my friends for years is a hard-working farmer with wife and several children. He never seemed to quite "get there." Though he worked hard, he just lacked the knack of getting a bit ahead. During the past year he seemed to have prospered. When I saw him last week he said:

"It's this way: I subscribed \$50 for a Liberty bond last year, and simply had to pay for it. I did so by paying in every dollar I could spare, instead of spending money for things we could just as well do without. It is curious how one accumulates if they go at it that way."

"I see now that one reason why I never saved any money was because I didn't have anything like this to take my cash a little at a time. I used to think that I would begin saving when I had my bills paid and \$25.00 in the good, but I have discovered at this late date that the way to do it is to save a little at a time and put it by as you get it. I have been surprised to find that the same is true of so many other farmers, especially renters. What they have to the Liberty bond is money they would have slipped through their fingers. They would have nothing to show for it, whereas now they have got a bond earning good interest, while their money is helping to lick the Kaiser. My first bond is now paid in full and I am beginning to save up my subscription to the fourth Liberty bond."

This reminds me of still another case where the boys and girls have earned and saved along with their parents until their subscription for each of the three Liberty loans are now paid up. They did not see how they could raise the money for their first subscription, but their second was double that, and the third was still larger. The oldest boy was taken by draft, which made the family all the more determined. The mother has her egg money, and the father has a bit of a garden from which they are selling stuff, one of the members of the pig club, the youngest boy still at home has quartered an acre of onions that promises a splendid crop. The father is harvesting a heavy crop of

LIBERTY BOND IN FIRE

Mixed With Newspapers It Was Used for Kindling.

Mrs. Charles Stoeckel of Georgetown, Del., found it rather cool and damp one day recently and decided to kindle a little wood fire in one of her stoves. She used an old newspaper that she had picked up from the center of the street. Among the papers was a \$50 Liberty bond, which she used as kindling.

bank for his daughter, Nellie, laid on the table until he sent it. The bond was ashes, but Stoeckel is trying to get a new one, as he has the bank officials distinctly in mind buying it.

Build Ship in Fifteen Days. Workman, Clark & Co., at Belfast, Ireland, have a world's record in completing a standard vessel in fifteen days.

planning to fourth Liberty, as well, will be nearly half the amount.

A Horde of Huns at Your Door. You know what they would do to you and your women—a fate far worse than death. You know how Huns have laid bare the countryside they have conquered—no animal or plant allowed to survive, even trees and vines cut off close to the ground. Rural homes demolished, barns burned. You know how the Boches enslave the farmers of Belgium, Poland, the Ukraine. Words cannot depict the horror of it.

To prevent the same thing happening right here to you and your family, to your own community, state and nation—that is what our boys are fighting for "over there."

It is a question of right over might! Shall liberty be destroyed by slavery? This is the question the war is to answer for you and me and for generations yet unborn.

This final struggle for the survival of the fittest among humans demands every ounce of our energy, every cent of our money. Noble men and women are patriotically devoting some or all of their time, without money and without price, to help Uncle Sam win a victory. Others are giving produce or money to the good cause. Millions of our healthiest young men, the very best of the race, are sacrificing their lives that you and I and others may live in peace.

The very least that each of us can do now is to lend our money to Uncle Sam so that he will have the funds which to fight. The war is costing billions. The only way the government can get the money is to borrow it from the people or tax it out of them. The more the public lends the government, the less taxes it have to pay.

You can help in this crisis by subscribing to the fourth Liberty loan. These government bonds are the safest investment on earth. They are absolutely good. They yield good interest. You can get your interest money twice a year. If you have to use your principal, you can sell your bond any minute or you can use it as security at the bank to borrow for temporary wants. The latter is the better way, because it doesn't help the government any for you to sell your bond or for somebody else to buy your bond. Get your bond direct from the government; then your money goes direct to the government and will be used by it to pay the wages of soldiers and sailors and to furnish the ships and munitions with which they shall win the victory.

It is up to you to do your part. Without things, so that the effort, time, thought and money thus saved may be transmitted into the things that shall enable the American flag to fly over Berlin—a symbol of the new civilization which is to insure peace through victory.

In our rural homes, on our farms, in the trenches, in other branches of service, in subscriptions to the Liberty bonds and War stamps, our American farmers have repeatedly gone over the top. Their efforts, their patriotism, their loyalty, have been universally recognized. Now in this fourth Liberty loan our rural folks will show the same generous confidence in the eternal principles of human liberty and of self government that were championed by those Middlesex farmers: "Their flags to April breeze unfurled, Who fired the shot heard 'round the world."

GOES WOOLING IN AN AIRSHIP

Maiden's Neighbors in London Suburb Have Fears for Their Roofs.

London.—A pretty bit of chivalry was seen in a London suburb the other day. Early in the morning the knight-errant was out on his airship and was flying low—so low as to make the tenants of the terrace anxious about their roofs.

On the miniature lawn in the center of the 30-foot garden the maiden waited until there fluttered down through the morning mist a little streamer of white material. It missed the garden and fell into the roadway.

The maiden rushed out and up her love letter.

The neighbor as rest of the little episode was closed.

Discards Music Books.

San Francisco.—Because several songs in the music books used in California public schools savored of German origin, with perhaps a trace of the well-known German propaganda, the state board of education has decreed that the books must go to the discard. A new series has been prepared for the pupils, which, it is announced, is "free from all taint."

Real Estate

IF YOU ARE IN THE MARKET FOR ANYTHING IN THE REAL ESTATE LINE, SEE ME. I may have just what you want.

Or, if you want to sell, list your stuff with me. I see the people, and can make a deal for you if anybody can. Trade is a specialty.

See me for anything in the real estate line. Your business will be associated.

J. P. POOL

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WE APPRECIATE THE CALL.

WE FURNISH THE SERVICE.

THEY CALL AGAIN.

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PHONE 79

Highway Garage

P. V. DISHMAN

"Them Old Cheery Words"

James Whitcomb Riley

DAP he allus ust to say,
"Chris'mus comes but
one't a year!"
Liked to hear him that-a-way,
In his old split-bottomed
cheer
By the fireplace here at night—
Wood all in—and room all
bright,
Warm and snug and folks all
here;
"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

Me and 'Lize and Warr'n and
Jess,
And Eldory home fer two
Weeks' vacation; and, I guess,
Old folks tickled through and
through,
Same as WE was—"Home one't
more
Fer another Chris'mus—shore!"
Pap 'ud say, and tilt his cheer—
"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

Mostly Pap was ap' to be
Ser'ous in his "daily walk,"
As he called it; gen'ally
Was no hand to joke er talk.
Fac's is, Pap had never be'n
Rugged-like at all—and then
Three years in the army had
Hepped to break him pretty bad.

Never FLINCHED! But frost
and snow
Hurt his wovnd in winter.
But
You bet MOTHER knowed it,
though!
Watched his feet, and made
him put
On his flannels; and his knee,
Where it never healed up, he
Claimed was "well now—mighty
near."
"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"
Pap 'ud say and snap his
eyes.
Row o' apple sputterin' here
Round the hearth, and me and
'Lize

Crackin' hicker'-nuts; and
Warr'n
And Eldory parchin' corn;
And whole raft o' young folks
here.

"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

Mother tuk most comfort in
Jest a-heppin' Pap: She'd fill
His pipe fer him, er his tin
O' hard cider; er set still
And read fer him out the pile
O' newspapers putt on file
Whilse he was with Sherman—
(She
Knowed the whole war-history!)

Sometimes he'd git het up some.
"Boys," he'd say, "and you
girls, too,
Chris'mus is about to come;
So, as you're a right to do,
CELEBRATE it! Lots has died.
Same as Him they crucified,
That you might be happy here.
Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

Missed his voice last Chris-
mus—missed
Them old cheery words, you
know.

Mother helt up tel she kissed
All of us—then had to go
And break down! And I laughs:
"Here!"

Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"
"Them's his cheery words," sobbed
me,
"When he asked to marry me."

"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year."

Over, over, still I hear,
"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"

Yit, like him, I'm goin' to smile
And keep cheerful all the while:
ALLUS Chris'mus THERE—
And here

"Chris'mus comes but one't a
year!"



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pire, we ask that you call and
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Informer.

This has been a hard year on
us, in some respects—as it has
been on lots of others—and we
are greatly in need of money to
meet pressing obligations.

Accounts that are not paid
within the next few days will be
placed in a collector's hands, for
the reason that we MUST have
the money and haven't the time
to leave our office and collect it
ourselves.

The Hedley Informer.

FOR SALE:—A few Barred
Rock cockerels; McDonald strain
J. S. Grooms.

Pearl Boston has been greet-
ing friends the last several days
from the First State Bank.

Frank Jones was in Monday
from his home out on Route 1.
He recently had a message from
the War Department at Washing-
ton stating that his brother, Wal-
ter Jones, had been severely
wounded several weeks ago on
the firing line in France, and was
seeking further news concern-
ing him, which he had not ob-
tained the last time we saw him.
We trust it will be good news
when he gets it.

FOR SALE.—Full blood Buff
Orpingtons. \$1.00 each. Call
J. R. Ayers.

Mrs. Artie Bland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker Lane
are spending the holidays at the
home of their daughter, Mrs. Ira
Lewis, in Dallas. Sandy Lane
and family are also there, from
San Antonio.

FOUND.—Some money. The
owner can get same by describ-
ing it and paying for this ad.
J. W. Bond.

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the attention of the publisher.

HEDLEY BOY WITH PRESIDENT WILSON

We intended to mention two or
three weeks ago the fact that our
little city has the distinction of
having a representative on the
good ship, George Washington,
which bore President Wilson and
his party across the ocean on
their history making trip to the
peace conference.

This representative is Leslie
M. Long, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Marshall Long of the Quail com-
munity, who has been on the
George Washington for many
months, this being his tenth or
eleventh round trip overseas on
that vessel.

A pleasant voyage and a safe
return!

FARM LOANS.—Cheap money
on long time. See

T. B. Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burris and
Miss Bernice are spending the
holidays in Kansas City with the
parents of Mrs. Burris. They
are having a family reunion in
honor of a son and brother who
has just returned from army
duty.

I HAVE several nice Duroc
brood for sale, if taken at once.
J. L. Allison.

Dudley Kennedy, after several
months service in Uncle Sam's
army, writes that is back again
with West-Cullum Paper Co. and
expects to pay us a call early
next month. Good news, Dad!

N. T. Myers arrived at home
from Camp Mabry in time to
spend the Christmas holidays
with home folks and friends.

Jim Sherman, Member Na-
tional Collectors' Association,
Clarendon, Texas.

Robert Stroud, of the S. A. T.
C. at Wayland College, Plainview,
is spending the holidays with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A.
Stroud.

Marvin Battle, of the S. A. T.
C., New Mexico Military Insti-
tute, Roswell, came in several
days ago and is spending the hol-
idays with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. C. B. Battle.

Carl Boston came up from
Quanah to spend Christmas with
home folks and friends.

R. W. Scales killed hogs last
week. How do we know? Well,
we promised him we wouldn't
tell. But we know! Thanks.

Will H. Stroud came in Christ-
mas day from Camp MacArthur
and is spending the holidays at
the home of his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. L. A. Stroud.

Ernest Craddock is here from
Camp Bowie on a five days fur-
lough, which he is spending at
the home of his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. T. Craddock.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable
of Donley County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to
summon Gillette Gibson Mil-
linery Co. and the unknown
stock holders thereof, by mak-
ing publication of this citation
once in each week for four suc-
cessive weeks previous to the re-
turn day hereof, in some news-
paper published in your county,
if there be a newspaper publish-
ed therein, but if not, then in any
newspaper published in the 47th
Judicial District; but if there be
no newspaper published in said
Judicial District, then in a news-
paper published in the nearest
district to said 47th Judicial Dis-
trict, to appear at the next reg-
ular term of the District Court
of Donley County, to be holden
at the Court House thereof, in
Clarendon on the Second Mon-
day in January A. D. 1919 the

same being the 13th day of Jan-
uary A. D. 1919, then and there
to answer a petition filed in said
Court on the 2nd day of Decem-
ber A. D. 1918 in a suit, number-
ed on the docket of said Court
No. 1018, wherein Mrs. A. J.
Rawlings, is Plaintiff, and Gil-
lette Gibson Millinery Co. and
the unknown stock holders, are
Defendants, said petition alleging
that plaintiff is the owner by
title and Fee Simple of 42 1/4
acres of land in Donley County,
Texas, Situated on the waters of
Saddlers Creek, a tributary of
Red River, about 16 miles N. of
Clarendon, by virtue of Patent
No. 364, vol. 83, of date March
11th, 1918, issued by W. P.
Hobby, Governor, and recorded
in the patents of Donley County,
Texas.

Patent to said land is duly de-
scribed by metes and bounds;
said Patent being issued by vir-
tue of an affidavit made by A. J.
Rawlings in accordance with an
act approved May 26th, 1873
For a description by metes and
bounds reference is made to said
Patent.

Plaintiff alleges that defend-
ants are claiming an interest in
and to said land, or a lien there-
on by reason of a certain judg-
ment in favor of Gillette-Gibson
Millinery Co. against Mrs. L. D.
Rainy amounting to the sum of
\$682.49, besides interest and
cost of suit. Said judgment
being rendered in the County
Court of Potter county, Texas,
on September 14th, 1915, which
said judgement was attempted
to be recorded upon the judg-
ment lien records of Donley
County, Texas, on or about the
1st of October, 1915, claiming
that said Mrs. L. D. Rainy
had an interest in said tract of
land by reason of which fact a
lien was acquired upon her said
interest; that such claim upon
the part of defendants operates
as a cloud upon plaintiff's title to
said land and interferes with the
free use and enjoyment of same.

Wherefore, prayer is made
that upon a final hearing the
claim of the defendant be in all
things cancelled and held for
naught; that the cloud so cast
upon plaintiff's said land be in all
things removed.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have
before said Court, at its afore-
said next regular term, this writ
with your return thereon, show-
ing how you have executed the
same.

Witness, W. E. Bray, Clerk
of the District Court of
County.

Given under my hand
Seal of said Court, at
Clarendon this 2d day
A. D. 1918.

W. E. Bray

District Court, Texas

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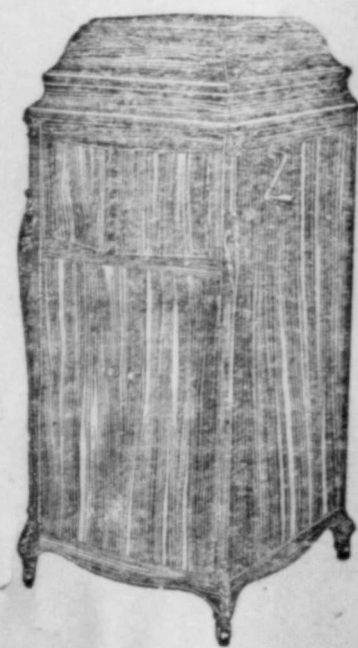
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chine, plays all records without
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ciate this machine unless you
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led to take care of your
with the largest stock
miles of you. When
up, come in and in
line.

n, the Jeweler
DON, TEXAS



May the Christmas season bring
joys of Peace to You; and in the
coming year may there be no
Embargo on your happiness; may
your opportunities not be En-
trenched; may the Battles of the
past be forgotten, and the Bugle
call lead you on to loved ones
who love you, and watch over you.

READY RED EXPRESS

I have put on a Job Wagon
for the benefit of the public,
and am prepared to do your
hauling. Prompt service. Of-
fice at Jim's Cafe.

Ready Red

If you want to sell Vendors
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DENTIST

Clarendon, Texas

**WSS
YOU PLEDGED
NOW PAY**

CITY TAXES DUE

Your city taxes are now due.
I have the books at my office,
and would be glad to have you
call and settle same.

W. Z. Hoggard,
City Marshal.

**PAY THE
PRESIDENT**

FOR SALE—Nice full blood
Brown Leghorn Cockerels.
J. K. Caldwell.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the Government has
issued its call for the complete
payment before Dec. 31st, 1918,
of all pledges made the United
States Treasury Department to
purchase War Savings Stamps,
and

Whereas, the County Judge of
each county has been requested
by the Government to direct at-
tention by proclamation to the of-
ficial call for the liquidation of
War Savings Stamps pledges,

Therefore, I, W. T. Link, Coun-
ty Judge of the County of Don-
ley, Texas, do hereby announce
the said Government call for li-
quidation by Dec 31st, 1918, of
all War Savings Stamps pledges
that all pledged persons in Don-
ley county may take notice and
purchase the full amount of War
Savings Stamps pledged prior to
the date last named.

Done this 14th day of Decem-
ber, 1918.

W. T. Link,
County Judge.

the woman who has present need of
new afternoon gown. We have co-
to the place where it goes without say-
ing that an afternoon gown will
double duty as long as it survives
demands made upon it for both af-
noon and evening; for it must take
place of evening gowns. To begin w
the most essential of all things, t
particular model has beautiful fl
It is cut in an original manner w

Frank Hastings, of the firm of
Barnes & Hastings, was a recent
business visitor in Hedley.

Dr. W. R. Smith the Dentist,
expects to spend the holidays
with home folk in Wichita Falls,
returning to Hedley shortly af-
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only of your business, but of the
kindliness and good feeling which
have characterized our dealings
during past years.

In this connection we desire to
express our very great apprecia-
tion for the business that you've
placed with us this year. We feel
grateful to you for the many fa-
vors you have shown us, and sin-
cerely hope that our service has
been such as will merit a continuance of your
valued patronage. We also hope that you
can see your way clear to favor us with even
an increased patronage during the year 1919.
We assure you that we will endeavor at all
times to serve you in a manner that will be
satisfactory and advantageous to you.

Again thanking you, and wishing for you A
HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPER-
OUS NEW YEAR,

Yours very truly,

Hedley Hardware & Implement Co.

Greetings!

A Merry Christmas

TO ALL
OUR FRIENDS AND
CUSTOMERS

Hedley Restaurant

Should Read Mrs. Monahan's Letter Published by Her Permission.

Mitchell, Ind.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me so much during the time I was looking forward to the coming of my little one that I am recommending it to other expectant mothers. Before taking it, sometimes I suffered with neuralgia so badly that I thought I could not live, but after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely relieved of neuralgia, I had gained in strength and was able to go to my housework. My baby when seven months old weighed 19 pounds and I feel better than I have for a long time. I never had any medicine do me so much good."

Mrs. PEARL MONAHAN, Mitchell, Ind.

Good health during maternity is a most important factor to both mother and child, and many letters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., telling of health restored during this trying period by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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The Cause is Dandruff and Itching; The Remedy is Cuticura

All druggists; Soap 25¢, Ointment 25¢. Sold by mail, Sample each free of "Cuticura, Dept. E, Boston."

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Buy a Louisiana Farm Now! Great bargain! alluvial lands. Most fertile soil in America. Small or big tracts. Buy before the advance, which is a certainty. Write what you want. No trading. Prices \$15 to \$25. WOODCOCK, Havenwood, La.

FOR SALE Improved farms in tract from 40 to 500 acres; well located to market and on good roads; plenty water; rainfall 45 inches; Bryan County has reputation of producing a crop every year. If you buy now you get the best for 1918. Write us for descriptions. SHANE & EARLE, DURANT, OKLAHOMA

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A married man seldom gets the last of his inability to keep

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GLOBE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC gives regularity for two or three weeks, entices the child to eat, improves the digestion, and acts as a general strengthening tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60¢ per bottle.

USED TO SWIFT LOCOMOTION

Traveling, Even Driving Fast Team, Was Altogether Too Slow for This Modern Farmer Boy.

Edward S., a bustling young embryo farmer, is in the habit of driving his father's automobile and attending to the family errands with neatness and dispatch. The other morning, however, when he went to get the car out to drive into town there was, with the exception, perhaps, of a few mild, whispered cuss words, an awful silence in the garage. The boy tried everything in the book and almost everything out of it, but he was finally convinced that the engine could not be coaxed, persuaded or bulldozed into turning over, and very reluctantly he harnessed Bob and Beauty to the surrey for the seven-mile jaunt to the county seat.

When he reached the edge of town—very red as to face and very fidgety as to feet—he drove up to the nearest telephone pole that he could see and stopped. "Say," he called out anxiously to the woman who was sweeping the walk nearby, "do you care if I hitch my team here and walk? I'm in a terrible hurry this morning!"—Indianapolis News.

Prize of \$10,000 Offered.

British government has decided to award a prize of \$10,000 for a process of dehydrating cottonseed oil with a minimum loss of 1 per cent. The prize will be awarded to the first competitor submitting a successful process, which must be of ready and economical application without undue absorption of material and labor.—Popular Science Monthly.

A Cool Breakfast for warm weather

No fussing round a hot stove if you eat

OSTASTIES

FACTS

PRODUCED ON FARMS

First Thing Necessary Is to Begin With Clean-Flavored Milk Separate.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Although cream butter has almost entirely replaced farm-made butter in the markets of the United States, more than half the butter produced is still made on farms. The fact that this butter cannot compete successfully with the creamery product is that it is a poor product. It is produced in villages or small towns, and is shipped to renovating factories for treatment and sells as a relatively low-grade product. It is possible, however, greatly to improve the quality of farm butter by following in its production standard and giving it greater care than is ordinarily expended.

Produce good butter. It is necessary to begin with a good, clean-flavored milk. In some sections of the country it is customary to ripen and then the whole milk instead of the cream. That practice, however, is inadvisable, because it requires a high churning temperature, which injures the quality of the butter and causes a considerable loss of butterfat in the buttermilk. It is also liable to result in too much water in the butter. For those reasons only the churning of cream will be considered. It is just as essential to obtain cream under such conditions that it will be of equally good quality as the milk.



Comparison of Pound Print and Country Roll—Superiority of Former Is Obvious.

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Cream may be separated from the milk by gravity or by a centrifugal separator. Gravity separation may be accomplished by the shallow-pan, the deep-setting, or the water-dilution method. The first two have been extensively used and are still in use where very few cows are milked. In the first method the milk is placed in shallow pans and set in a cool place for about 36 hours, usually in a cellar or a spring house, and sometimes in cold water, to permit the cream to rise. During that time the surface, as a rule, is exposed to the air and frequently the cream absorbs or develops objectionable flavors. The skim milk resulting from the removal of the cream by this method usually contains 0.5 to 1.5 per cent of butterfat; that is, one-eighth to one-third of all the butterfat in the whole milk. It is frequently sour also; its value for calf feeding is injured, and it is in the household limited.

By the deep-setting method the milk as soon as drawn from the cow is placed in a "shotgun" can, which is placed in cold water, preferably ice water, for 12 hours. Because of the quick cooling to a low temperature the cream rises more quickly and completely than in the shallow-pan method and is skimmed before its fresh, sweet flavor has been lost. The resulting skim milk may contain as low as 0.2 per cent of butterfat, though often nearer 0.5 per cent, and is sweet. If the milk is not placed in ice water immediately after it has been drawn the loss of butterfat is still greater.

The dilution of milk with water has been used to some extent. In the belief that it aids creaming, but investigations have shown that the loss of butterfat is as great as, or greater than, in the shallow-pan method. There is the further objection that watery flavor is imparted to the cream, and the usefulness of the milk is limited, mixtures of cream and skim milk being undesirable either for household use or for calf feeding.

A centrifugal separator gives by far the best results, because the separation is accomplished in a few minutes, while the milk is still warm. The skim milk usually contains only a trace of butterfat and is available for use at once, while perfectly fresh. Because of the ability of the mechanical separator to skim clean, it is a profitable investment unless the quantity of milk is very small.

A cream separator should be selected on the basis of its capacity and

OUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POISONS FROM LITTLE STOMACH LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" IF CROSS, BILIOUS OR FEVERISH.



No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out of sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that the little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California-Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

Extenuating Circumstances.

"Take this parrot back. He's too profane."

"Why, ma'am, you surprise me. I never knew that bird to swear before. But I happen to know he's very particular, ma'am. Somebody must have mentioned the Germans in his presence."

Watch Your Skin Improve.

On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free sample, address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25¢, Ointment 25¢ and 50¢.—Adv.

The Proper Kind.

"I am going to an illustrated lecture on aviation." "Will the illustration be by skylight?"

The man who gives his business proper attention has but little time for side issues.

WHO IS TO BLAME

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Thousands recommend Dr. Klinger's Swamp-Root, the great kidney medicine. At druggists in large and medium size bottles. You may receive a sample size by Parcel Post, also pamphlet telling about it. Address Dr. Klinger & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also mention this paper.

Every Woman Wants Partine ANTISEPTIC POWDER.

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For more than 200 years, Haarlem Oil, the famous national remedy of Holland, has been recognized as an infallible relief from all forms of kidney and bladder disorders. Its very age is proof that it must have unusual merit.

If you are troubled with pains or aches in the back, feel tired in the morning, headaches, indigestion, insomnia, painful or too frequent passage of urine, irritation or stone in the bladder, you will almost certainly find relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the good old remedy, that has stood the test for hundreds of years, prepared in the proper quantity and convenient form to take. It is imported direct from Holland laboratories, and you can get it at any drug store. It is a standard, old-time home remedy and needs no introduction. Each capsule contains one dose of five drops and is pleasant and easy to take. They will quickly relieve those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. Your money promptly refunded if they do not relieve you. But be sure to get the genuine GOLD MEDAL brand. In boxes, three sizes.—Adv.

Bright Future for Peanut.

Last year's crop of peanuts amounted to 51,000,000 bushels, and it is estimated that within a few years it will reach more than 250,000,000 bushels. There were 50 peanut crushing establishments in 1916, and the oil produced was slightly more than 26,000,000 gallons. Food experts have declared that peanut oil will eventually become as universally used for salad dressings and for other uses as olive oil is today. Indeed, it is preferred by some. The Spanish type of peanut is peculiarly adapted to the production of oil, and the best grade of the Spanish and the cheaper kind of Virginia are commonly employed in the manufacture of peanut butter. In Texas we have the largest peanut farm in the world, and the owner has more than quadrupled his acreage in the last two years.—Exchange.

A BRIGHT, CLEAR COMPLEXION

is always admired, and it is the laudable ambition of every woman to do all she can to make herself attractive. Many of our southern women have found that Tetterine is invaluable for clearing up blotches, itchy patches, etc., and making the skin soft and velvety. The worst cases of eczema and other torturing skin diseases yield to Tetterine. Sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50¢. by Shuprine Co., Savannah, Ga.—Adv.

Resourceful Waiter.

He was one of those individuals who would have their tea sweet, and that unspeakable waiter had forgotten to bring him any sugar. Accordingly he called the unhappy man to him and asked:

"Say, waiter, haven't you sugar?"

"I'm sorry, sir, but we can't serve any now," was the reply.

"Oh, come, I really can't drink any tea without sugar!"

"Well, sir," returned the waiter, suddenly struck with a brilliant idea. "Just you try and imagine yourself with plenty and a lump will come into your throat!"—London Tit-Bits.

Too Much for Ananias.

Uncle John of the Excelsior Springs Standard has lost faith in the saying that man wants but little here below. He writes: "To my mind, this is the statement that choked Ananias to death. It was reproduced in this country at a meeting of the Ancient Order of American Skinflints as a sort of poltice to their consciences. It seemed to work fast-rare. I was a firm believer in the same theory, until I studied the American profit hog at close range. Then I realized that another prop was gone from under me."—Kansas City Times.

Unfair.

"He took an unfair advantage of me by indulging in personalities."

"What's the matter? Did he call you harsh names?"

"Worse than that. I could have defended myself if he had called me a horse thief or a wife-beater. But he chose deliberately to hit at me where I was defenseless."

"What could he have said about you?"

"He referred to the fact that I was once a pacifist."

Some men haven't troubles enough of their own, so they want to get married.

I am Sincere! Stop Calomel! I Guarantee Dodson's Liver Tone

Listen to me! Calomel sickens and you may lose a day's work. If bilious, constipated or headachy read my guarantee.

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel, because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping.

Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents under my

personal money-back guarantee each spoonful will clean your liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick. You'll know it's real medicine. You'll know it's real, because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; ache and dizziness gone; stomach be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and does not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of calomel is almost stopped entirely here.—Adv.

Grit!

They were motoring, and he bade defiance to all police traps. "We're going at fifty miles an hour," he said. "Are you brave?" She (swallowing another pint of dust)—Yes, dear, I'm full of grit.

RED CROSS STORY.

Red Cross Ball Blue and what it will do seems like an old story, but it's true. Red Cross Ball Blue is all blue. No adulteration. Makes clothes whiter than snow. Use it next washday. All good grocers sell it.—Adv.

A Difference.

Mrs. Hi-Up (to the candidate for cook)—And I want you to feel, Mrs. McGinnity, that if we can induce you to accept the place you will be treated like one of the family.

Mrs. McGinnity—Well, mum, if I can choose which one of the family I want to be treated like, O.K. shay, but I've already seen a sample of the way you treat that good-for-nothin' lap dog and the way you treat yer poor husband, mum.

He Is Content.

"Although all my goods are a drug in the market," said he, "I am content. I keep an apothecary shop."

Men seldom follow good advice unless they pay for it.

Do This After You Eat

Hot Weather "Out of Fix" Stomach Easily Put Right

When hot weather comes, stomach and bowel disorders begin. Strong, sound stomachs as well as weak ones are easily affected by the harmful gases and acids so often produced in the things we eat and drink during hot weather. Winter—Nature's ice-box, is gone—hot weather breeds the poisonous germs that cause ptomaine poison in all its many forms.

Every one knows that the after-eating nausea, belching, that wretched, bloated, "lumpy" feeling, sour stomach, heartburn, food repeating, and other forms of indigestion and dyspepsia are far more frequent during hot weather. It is the time when you have to guard constantly against an upset stomach and the many ills that are always apt to follow. Then again—we have the world's war to win—with the change of diet and extra work which means we must all carefully guard our stomachs this year—keep ourselves fit and fine.

A marvelous relief and prevention has been found for stomach sufferers, which makes it possible for you to eat the things you like best without a

single unpleasant thought of what may follow. EATONIC Tablets, fasting, quick acting, and absolutely harmless, have already proven an untold blessing to thousands of people.

One or two EATONIC Tablets at meals work wonders. They sweeten and purify the stomach by neutralizing the trouble-making acids and gas and stop the gripping pains of indigestion and other stomach and bowel disturbances.

And the best part of it is—you can be your own judge. Just try EATONIC. Let your own stomach tell you the truth. If you are not pleased that they don't cost you one penny.

Druggists are amazed at the astonishing reports from EATONIC users who have found EATONIC a quick, wonderful relief for stomach ailments.

So we tell you to get a large box of EATONIC from your druggist, and you know and can trust, and that if EATONIC is not suited to your case return it to your druggist at once and back your money. That's a fair, equitable every person is urged to make a test. Let your own stomach tell you the truth. So start using EATONIC today.

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For MALARIA, CHILLS and FEVER.

GROVE'S BABY BOWEL MEDICINE

This valuable and harmless Baby Medicine is composed of the following:

BISMUTH, LIME, PEPSIN AND CATECHU WITH PURE SIMPLE SYRUP

Bismuth is healing to the mucous membrane of the stomach; the Lime neutralizes the acid where there is a sour stomach; the Pepsin digests any indigestible food that may be in the stomach, and the Catechu acts as a mild astringent to control the bowels where there is a disposition to Dysentery, Diarrhea, Flux or Sick Stomach.

GROVE'S BABY BOWEL MEDICINE is not a patent medicine. We give the ingredients and tell the effect of each ingredient so that you can judge for yourself.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—This preparation does not contain Morphine or Opium in any form and we don't advocate the giving of Opiates unless it is absolutely necessary.

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For Dyspeptics who are Troubled with Sour Stomach

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STARTS SATURDAY, DEC. 21st ENDS FEB. 1, 1919

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\$1 25 storm serge.....	\$1.00	Ladies 5.50 shoes.....	5.00
2 50 French serge.....	2.00	Childrens \$2 75 shoes.....	2.35
.60 cotton suiting.....	.50	Childrens 3 25 shoes.....	2.75
1 00 suiting.....	.65	Childrens 1.35 shoes.....	1.15
One lot gingham.....	.20	Childrens 2 25 shoes.....	1.90
One lot gingham.....	.25	Boys 3 50 and 4.00 school	
One lot gingham.....	.30	shoes.....	3.25
Percales.....	15c and .20	Mens 3 50 work shoes.....	3.00
80c bleached sheeting.....	.70	Boys 3 00 work shoes.....	2.50
80c cotton flannel.....	.25	Mens 7 00 work shoes.....	5.90
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10 per cent off on all Ribbons.		Mens 6 00 work shoes.....	5.00
Men's heavy underwear, \$2		Mens 4 50 and 5 00 dress	
grade, for.....	1.50	shoes.....	3.75
Mens blue work shirts.....	1.00	Mens 7 50 dress shoes.....	6.00
Mens overalls.....	1.65	Mens 8 00 dress shoes.....	6.75
Mens Pants, \$2 00 grade.....	1.50	Blankets.....	8.75
Boys pants, 1 25 grade.....	1.00		
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Mens \$5 00 corduroys.....	4.25		
Mens 4 00 corduroys.....	3.25		
Mens 5 00 pants.....	3.75		
Mens 3 50 pants.....	2.75		
Mens 3 50 work pants.....	2.75		
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Ladies sweaters 4 00 grade.....	3.25		
Boys sweaters 3 75 grade.....	3.00		
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Ladies \$2 50 kid gloves.....	2.15		
Ladies 2 75 kid gloves.....	2.35		
1 25 3 00 kid gloves.....	2.50		
Mens 65c gloves.....	.50		
Mens 50c gloves.....	.40		
Mens \$1 50 gloves.....	1.25		
Mens 2 75 gloves.....	2.25		
Mens 2 50 gloves.....	2.10		
Job lot mens and boys caps.....	.50		
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One lot caps.....	.65		
Mens \$3 50 hats.....	2.75		
Mens 3 00 hats.....	2.50		
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Old ladies Comfort shoes.....	1.50		
Ladies \$4 50 shoes.....	3.75		
Ladies 9 50 shoes.....	8.00		
Ladies 7 00 shoes.....	6.00		
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DEATH OF MRS. W. T. KING

The Informer and Hedley relatives and friends of the family are much grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Fay King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grimsley, and wife of Mr. W. T. King, which sad event occurred Dec. 6th at her home at Alba, Wood county, Texas.

Mrs. King was a citizen of this place until about a year ago when the family moved to Wood county, and has a host of friends here who loved and esteemed her. She was born Feb. 20, 1884, and married Dec. 20, 1908. She leaves a husband and four sons, her parents and several brothers and sisters. She was a devoted wife and mother, a dutiful daughter, a consecrated Christian, and was loved by everybody who knew her. Her father was with her when the end came. She died full strong in the Christian's faith that all would be well, expressing with her last breath her readiness to go and her desire that God's will be done.

Funeral services were conducted by Elder Jones and the remains tenderly laid to rest in the Pleasant Ridge cemetery.

To the grief stricken husband, sons and other bereaved ones, the Informer tenders its sincerest sympathy.

TAKE NOTICE

Positively no hunting or wood hauling allowed on the Word Ranch. Violators will be prosecuted to the limit.

C. T. Word & Son.

MARRIED

Mr. Horace Curtis and Miss Bessie Bridges, both of Giles, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Hedley last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Cal C. Wright performing the ceremony. The young people drove to Hedley in an auto, accompanied by the bride's brother and another young man from Giles.

This happy couple is composed of two of Giles' most popular and talented young folks who have the confidence, esteem and good wishes of the entire community.

The Informer extends congratulations, and may every day bring them added happiness.

AUTO FOR SALE—A second hand auto, in good condition.
Dr. J. B. Ozler.

W. E. Brown and family of McLean, formerly of Hedley, suffered a severe misfortune a few days ago when their home and its contents were destroyed by fire. We understand nothing was saved. Their many friends here are indeed sorry to hear of this disaster.

240 acres, one of the best farms in Donley county. Want to sell right quick. Will take some trade. If you want to make the best trade of your life, see me at once. J. T. Warren, Clarendon.

FOR SALE—Nice full blood Brown Leghorn Cockerels.
J. K. Caldwell.

J. R. Benson, genial cashier of the First State Bank, has been confined to his home for some days, suffering from something akin to the flu. We're glad to learn that he is recovering.

WANTED—Cottontail Rabbits at Caraway's Restaurant, Clarendon. Must be opened and all insides removed. \$1.25, f. o. b. Clarendon.

Rev. G. A. Oller and wife of Clarendon spent the past two weeks with relatives in this vicinity. We regret to learn that they contemplate moving in the near future to Missouri; however we wish them the very best of success in their new home.

Veterinary Notice!

DR. F. B. ERWIN
of Hedley

will be in Hedley for one day only

SATURDAY, DEC. 28th

He will be prepared to do all kinds of Veterinary Work.

Dental work, per head, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

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