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LEGISLATIVE SESSION IS IMPORTANT

MANY IMPORTANT MEASURES WILL COME BEFORE THAT BODY FOR CONSIDERATION AND FINAL ACTION

CONVENES NEXT TUESDAY, JANUARY THE FOURTEENTH

Representative W. H. Bledsoe of this District will leave soon for the Capital City to Answer Roll Call the First Day and Remain Faithfully at his Post of Duty Throughout the Session

Rep. Bledsoe will leave soon for Austin to be present at the opening session of the legislature which will convene there next Tuesday. With the convening of this session of the legislature the people of Texas are looking anxiously for news which shall tell them what they may expect from that body in the way of economy or extravagance, wise laws or foolish, statesmanship or political windjamming.

Governor Hobby has been at home most of the last two weeks—and it is unofficially given out that he is working on his inaugural message to the legislature.

Those in position to know say that the governor will stay close to the platform adopted by the democratic party of the state of Texas at the Waco convention on Sept. 4.

Of course the governor was responsible for the ideals and ideas incorporated into that document.

Largely, in all probability, he wrote the very words of the state democratic platform.

But in his message it is likely the Texas governor will pick out those things to which he would have the legislature pay particular attention.

In his first announcement that he would run for governor, W. P. Hobby put forward a state land colonization plan as one of the planks of his individual platform.

Since then he has consistently stressed that plank as one of the most important ends to which he would work; and the plank was subsequently incorporated into the state platform.

For the state to enter upon the purchase and sale of land—the placing of the landless man upon the land—will first be necessary to adopt an amendment to the Texas constitution.

This has been difficult in the past, but Governor Hobby tackles the job secure in the knowledge that the people of Texas and most of the state's big newspapers are with him.

And that will possibly be one of the matters dealt with in the coming message.

Going back to the democratic platform it is evident that education is next in importance in the governor's mind, and his having recently called a joint meeting of the Texas university regents and the A. and M. college directors proves that he is staying on the job.

The legislature will, without doubt, be called upon to pass legislation providing for the future—and a great future—for the Texas educational institutions.

The same platform has two planks dealing with the health of the people of Texas; and the governor knows that Texas democracy is behind him in his effort to make Texas the most healthful state in the Union.

Already much has been done along this line since W. P. Hobby became governor Sept. 25 1917, but he is far from satisfied.

Some weeks ago the governor named a commission to study the laws relating to health and to suggest improvements and needed new laws.

The governor will probably offer the report of this committee with some recommendations to the legislature—and he will press for adoption of the proposed measures, for he believes that a healthy citizenship should be one of the first aims of the state.

That same convention at Waco went on record with a demand for equal pay for men and women for equal work; for the protection of the children of the state; and for "a living wage" for women workers.

Since that plank was written, Governor Hobby has lent his co-operation to the placing of a child welfare bureau in the Texas department of labor; but he will go still further in his message to the legislature and if that body shall listen to the governor Texas will have model laws for the protection of the mothers and the children of the state.

The Waco platform recommended that the legislature make the election laws of the state conform to the people's needs; simplify the ballot, and

THE KANSAS CITY MARKET CONDITIONS MONDAY

Kansas City Stock Yards, Jan. 6.—Cattle receipts were 20,000 head, market steady, top steers around \$17.50. Hog receipts today 22,000 market steady, top \$17.55. Sheep receipts 3800, market steady, best lambs \$16.65.

Beef Cattle.

Bulk of the fed steers arriving here have had a comparatively small amount of concentrated feed and are only fair to good in quality, sales ranging from \$12 to \$15.50, a few lots of ninety day or longer fed steers sold up to \$17.75. These prices are 10 to 25 cents higher than a week ago in some cases. The bulk of the steers are about steady with a week ago. Canner cows sell at \$7 to \$7.25, 10 to 25 cents lower than a week ago. Butcher grad's are about steady with a week ago, cows selling at \$8 to \$11.50, a few choice heavy weights \$13.50, veal calves \$11.50 to \$14. Prospects favor fairly liberal receipts in January but killers' requirements are heavy and a good market is anticipated.

Stocks and Feeders.

Storms last week kept buyers at home and there was a small trade in this department, prices are not quotably changed, feeders selling at \$12 to \$15.50, and stock steers at \$7.50 to \$13.50. Milder weather will stimulate this trade.

This week opened with liberal supplies at leading markets, and early prospects were slightly lower. The market ruled generally steady, however, there being good orders from all sources. Best heavy hogs brought \$17.65, medium weights the same, light hogs \$17.50, bulk of sales \$17.10 to \$17.45. Prices changed very little last week, and the volume of all hogs arriving seems to be very well balanced with demand up to this time, although heavy receipts are expected through January with practically no decline in prices. Stock pigs are selling at \$10 to \$13.50 on the open market.

Lamb prices are about \$1.50 higher than a week ago and the advance was held today. Fat sheep do not show this much gain, although materially above a week ago. Best lambs today brought \$16.65, best ewes worth \$10 or a little more. Local feed lots furnish bulk of the supply which is comparatively light, with a few from the San Luis and the Arkansas Valleys, Colorado, beginning to arrive.

J. A. RICKART, Market Correspondent

MANY NEEDY PEOPLE IN LUBBOCK AT PRESENT.

The recent severe weather has brought about a condition in Lubbock that has never been equalled in the history of the town, and it is a condition that the people of the town should not treat lightly nor delay correcting longer and that is the matter of helping the many needy persons that are in our town now.

There seems to be a combination of reasons why these conditions exist this year. First the weather has been severe and lasted longer than usual, which has kept people from their work, when possibly they were depending upon their daily labors for sustenance. Then too, there has been more sickness in the city than ever before in the history of the town and this has brought about a condition that puts many families in an embarrassing circumstance and dependent upon the charity of the town. The unusual high cost of living is also adding to the extreme conditions, and various other reasons might be attributed to the destitute surroundings of many people.

The Chamber of Commerce we understand has discussed the matter, but have arrived at no definite conclusion in the organization of relief for the relief of the needy of the town. We believe that this organization should hurry up this matter as much as possible in order to meet the demands being made upon the public.

In the mean time, however, many of our people might be able to provide clothing for some of the needy people by bringing their old clothes to the court house and leaving them in the Red Cross rooms. Mark them Mrs. Posey, and she will see to it that they are distributed where they are most needed. Bring clothes for any member of the family, and they will be used and appreciated. Those who can might also devote their time to making garments for children, both boys and girls. Hundreds of them are needed. We have been helping the Red Cross for the sake of the boys in France and for the sake of those suffering abroad, which is good and well, but we must not overlook the orphans at home.

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JUDGE VON ROSENBERG IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

The Austin American gives an account of the death of Judge William Von Rosenberg, Jr., which occurred in Austin last Sunday and in brief it seems that his wife and daughter had been away from home for a short walk in the afternoon, and when they returned they found the lifeless body of the judge in the back yard with a shot-gun close by his side. The coroner's verdict was that he met his death in an accidental manner. He often shot birds about the premises and it is the belief that he was possibly on this mission when in some manner he fell and the gun was accidentally discharged.

He was for a number of years the county judge of Travis county, and was a lawyer of recognized ability. He was a brother of our townsman P. Von Rosenberg, and the Avalanche extends sympathy to him in the loss of his brother.

NEW OIL COMPANY BY LUBBOCK PEOPLE

Oil activity is not all confined to the oil fields. During this week Lubbock capitalists have gotten together and organized a company to be known as the Cattleman's Hog Creek Oil Co. with capital stock at \$100,000.00 fully paid and non-assessable. This stock has all been taken by Lubbock people. If the company makes good the money comes to Lubbock. If they should fail the failure will be among home folks and no outsiders will have any kick coming.

The company has secured ten acres of land right in the Hog Creek proven field and it looks as though every person interested will soon have returns that will swell the bank account to satisfactory proportions. And another feature of the proposition is that it proves that Lubbock has about the richest bunch of boosters to be found on earth.

OIL GEOLOGIST HAS MUCH FAITH IN TEXAS

Dorsey Hagar, petroleum geologist and engineer who outlined the great arch of the Bend series in North Central Texas, now located in Dallas, is of opinion that the extensive explorations now being made in West Texas and New Mexico are likely to develop new pools of oil. He said yesterday that the geology of this region has never been worked out carefully and that much remains to be discovered as to the formations and oil possibilities. He is not disposed to discount the activity in places that some scientists have been inclined to condemn as doubtful.

Mr. Hagar is of opinion that so far as light oils are concerned there is nothing now in sight to lend to the belief that a reduction in price of crude is imminent. He points to the world demand and to the domestic demand that will again be heavy next summer so far as gasoline is concerned and estimates that even the large potential production of the new pools in Texas will not have the effect of depressing the price of crude much, if any, below the present high level.

Looking at the whole situation Mr. Hagar said it seems still to be a problem of the immediate future where the demand for gasoline and oils will be met. He is of the opinion that deeper drilling in the old pools of Oklahoma will add much to the production and that further exploration in Texas is likely to develop much oil, but he sees a demand for all of it as it is produced.

In a recent bulletin on the geology of Texas with petroleum possibilities in view, Mr. Hagar said: "There is no logical reason why the basal Permian beds should not produce oil; below it are the upper Pennsylvanian beds, which seventy miles west of Santa Anna should be reached at a depth of 3,000 feet. In fact there seems to be no reason for contesting the possibilities of oil over an area at least 125 miles in width and 200 miles long."

MRS. E. R. HAYNES SERIOUSLY INJURED SATURDAY

Mrs. E. R. Haynes fell on the ice Saturday and sustained a double fracture between the knee and ankle, the injury was very severe and painful, but Mrs. Haynes is reported resting along nicely, and though she will be confined to her room for several weeks, it is hoped and expected that the injuries will heal rapidly and she will fully recover within a reasonable time.

Judge W. F. Schenck is back from Austin where he has been some time in connection with his appointment to the office of assistant attorney general of the State of Texas.

NEW FEDERAL DISTRICT PROPOSED

CONGRESSMAN MARVIN JONES HAS INTRODUCED A BILL IN CONGRESS TO CHANGE FEDERAL DISTRICTS

WOULD NOT INCREASE NUMBER OF JUDGES IN STATE

If Passed and Lubbock is the Head of the District it Will Give us Seat of Federal District and Will Mean Much for our Town Lubbock Should Get Busy on other Propositions Too

Washington, Jan. 4.—The state of Texas would be divided into five federal judicial districts under terms of a bill today introduced by Representative Marvin Jones of the Amarillo district. The Eastern and Southern districts remain intact. A new district, known as the Central district, is created, to include the court divisions of Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco and Austin, and the new Northern district is created to include the court divisions of Amarillo, Abilene, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, San Angelo and Pecos.

The Lubbock division will include the counties of Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, King, Stonewall, Kent, Garza, Lynn, Terry, Yoakum, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Seurry and Fisher.

The Western district shall remain as now constituted save for the transfer of Austin and Waco to the central and for the transfer of Pecos to the new Northern district.

This bill creates no new judgeship, as it accommodates the five judges now serving in Texas. Judge W. R. Smith is assigned to the present Western district. Judge Duval West would be assigned to the new Northern district. The court divisions as to counties named in the bill are to remain as now constituted by law.

As is plainly seen in the above statement Lubbock would be made the head of one of the new districts and would be the seat of the court for that district, and this would naturally require some federal arrangements for court accommodations—a Federal building would be the final outcome of the matter after all, and

JOINT INSTALLATION WOODMEN AND WOODMEN CIRCLE

Installing the newly elected officers for the ensuing term of both the Woodmen and Woodmen Circle was the object of the meeting at the hall Monday night. Regardless of the mud and snow the attendance was good.

Sovereign Benson was selected as Master of Ceremonies and installing officer; Sovereign Simmons as attendant for the Woodmen and Sovereign Laura Derman for the C. I. C. All present joined in singing the opening ode. Invocation by Bro. Griswold of the Methodist Church.

The Woodmen officers-elect are: Consul Commander: E. L. Noe; Advisor: Lieutenant: S. M. Delaney; Banker: A. J. Felt; Clerk: C. J. Peck; Escort: F. V. Brown; Watchman: K. M. Trimble; Sentry: E. B. Mont; Crier: Managers: W. C. Bryan, K. Carr and J. Phillips; Physician: Dr. Hall. The names of the Circle officers were given in a former issue of the Avalanche. The service was most impressive and beautiful.

With forceful, magnetic words, paying high tribute for deeds accomplished through the medium of personal service and strengthening the tie that binds in the order that exemplifies the brotherhood of men, Sovereign Jordan, as retiring Consul Commander, was presented with a gold ring, symbolic of W. O. W. by Rev. Collins on behalf of the members as a slight token of affection and esteem.

Sovereign Jordan expressed his thanks in a few well chosen words. Rev. Griswold voiced his pleasure in the welcome extended him by the people of Lubbock and especially the Woodmen of the World of which he is a member.

Sovereign Benson gave his hearers reminiscences of earlier days when the first meetings of the W. O. W. were held in the old Court House. A matchless brand of coffee, donated by Martin and Walcott, served with a pre-war feast in the dining room was the grand finale of a perfect evening.

SOVEREIGN

Judge W. H. Bledsoe leaves this week for Austin where he will represent this district as representative. Judge Bledsoe stated that all business matters with which he is entrusted will receive his very best attention.

A DIFFICULT WEEK FOR THE AVALANCHE

The Avalanche is being published this week under most strenuous circumstances. The foreman, Mr. Boyd was called away to the funeral of his sister-in-law last week, and could not return till Wednesday of this week, and during his absence our machine operator was taken down with the flu, so we have been badly handicapped, and hope that our readers will make allowance for the probable shortness of the issue. It was impossible to get the type set, and of reading matter in this issue, as we suppose that most of our readers know how to sympathize with people who have had any dealings with the flu for we believe that there is hardly a family where the Avalanche is read that some member of it has not had to contend with. We hope however to contend with. We hope however that we will be straightened out again by next week, and will be running in the usual smooth easy way, and get the Avalanche to you on schedule time.

BURKBURNETT IS GREATLY EXCITED OVER A NEW FIND

Fort Worth January 6.—Extension of the Burkburnett field three-quarters southeast corner of the Vancleave farm had struck sand at 1662 feet. The report, created a sensation in oil circles and as a result, prices on Vancleave acreage have risen from \$2,000 to \$4,000 an acre, stuff that was offered for \$4,000 an acre is said to have sold above \$7,000 Saturday and Sunday, while all acreage that changed hands did so at an advanced figure.

The Cicero Smith Well No. 1 on the lumber yard owned by the Cicero Smith Company is reported as drilled in and showing up as good for around 1,000 barrels.

We are in receipt of a letter from Jno. W. Baker, the new State Treasurer asking us to send him the Avalanche at his address, he says he is about to get broken in to the Capital ways and will be perfectly at home to his friends at the capital building at anytime they see fit to call on him.

Mose Hood and wife returned to Amarillo this week. Mose has recovered from the flu sufficiently to resume his position with the railroad. We are glad to state and hope that he will be able to hit the ball all year.

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ITEMS FROM THE POST CITY POST

After a long spell of illness Miss Fay Cunningham, aged 17 who was the daughter of our accommodating night watchman, P. G. Cunningham, died December 28th at the home in South Post and was buried in Terrace Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than in other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Saturday afternoon the Rev. J. Pat Horton was "held up" on the street and hurried to the rear of the First National Bank building where he found Mr. James W. Jackson Jr. and Miss Mai Ella Boren who wanted to be married "proto" so the preacher proceeded to tie the knot. Mr. Jackson has recently returned from training Camp and was in soldier uniform and Miss Boren is one of Garza's belles who lives a few miles from Post and is a sister to young Boren who was accidentally shot in the arm several weeks ago. Both young people are well known and we join friends in wishing them a merry journey on the turbulent sea of matrimony.

A peep into the back door of the postoffice is sufficient to convince you that Lubbock needs more room in her postoffice. The solution a federal building. Lets get busy on the proposition.

WILL RETAIN THREE TEXAS FLYING FIELDS

Washington, Jan. 2.—All the aviation training camps in Texas with the exception of Love Field, Dallas; Kelly Field, San Antonio, and Ellington Field, Houston, probably will be closed at an early date for a temporary period. The air service has no authority to enlist or train any more personnel, and the future status or scope of work of the air service is yet to be determined by Congress.

Recently, it became known today the General Staff recommended the closing of all camps with the exception of five throughout the United States, and one of these was Kelly Field, where the main operations of the air service in Texas were carried on. Owing to the amount of equipment, facilities and size of Love and Ellington Fields, it is understood they also will be retained. A reorganization of the air service, and a recognition of its importance in warfare is hoped from Congress, and under the new program, some of the fields now temporarily to be abandoned would be reopened. In the meantime, such fields as are retained will be left in charge of a small personnel.

Secretary of War Baker is to recommend the purchase of the national army cantonments, sixteen in number, for use in future training, the policy of which has not yet fully been formulated. The recommendation in no sense contemplates continuing any of the so-called National Guard camps, as they are to be abandoned as soon as practicable. It is doubtful that Congress will look with favor upon extensive appropriations for maintenance of general army training. Frequent comment is heard against a standing army of large size, but as to the exact number that will be asked for, it is understood the department has not reached a conclusion.

The air service is to be viewed in a different light. Officials of that branch as well as many members of Congress believe it has won recognition, and that it will meet with no difficulty in obtaining reasonable accommodations, for the navy and marine corps as well as for the army.

Geo. Weisenborn was in from his farm near Shallowater Saturday. He says the snow is giving them a fine season, but it is very tough weather.

Sometimes an entire room can be shut off for the winter to save fuel.

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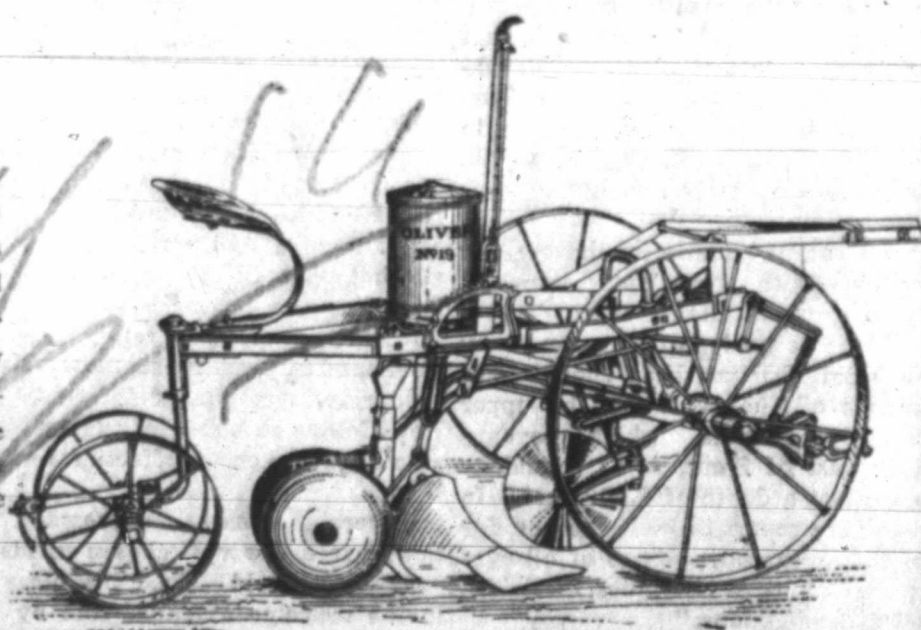
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SIX VESSELS ARRIVE IN NEW YORK SUNDAY

Five vessels bearing nine thousand American soldiers arrived in New York harbor Sunday. They were accompanied by the North Carolina, battleship, which was the first battleship to carry troops from overseas had among her 1,389 passengers a detachment of marines who had seen service at Chateau-Thierry, Belleau Wood and the Argonne Forest, and nineteen officers and 994 men of the 113th Ammunition Train.

The giant transport Agamemnon, which formerly was the Kaiser Wilhelm II, of the North German Lloyd line, brought the biggest contingent of any of the ships with the bunch, having on her passenger list 175 officers and 2,711 men. The list included 336 wounded and more than 2,000 officers and men of the 345th Infantry, as well as a number of casuals.

The other vessels arriving were the Santa Teresa, the Henderson, the Nieuw Amsterdam and the Heredia. On board the latter vessel was Private Silas McGee, a full blood Indian of Tahiti, Ok., who was wounded while serving with the 165th Infantry at Verdun.

HOOVER IS APPOINTED TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION

Paris, Jan. 3.—President Wilson has named Herbert C. Hoover director general of an international organization for the relief of liberated countries, both neutral and enemy. Norman Davis, formerly on the staff of Oscar T. Crosby, special commissioner of finance for the United States in Europe, will act as Mr. Hoover's assistant. This announcement was made today by the American peace commission in a statement which says that the designation of Mr. Hoover to take charge of the relief work is in conformity with the request of the allied government that the United States take a predominating part in the organization and direction of relief measures.

J. M. Shafer, of Plainview called on us last Thursday afternoon. He is an old newspaper man on the plains having bought the Hale County Herald early in the days of Plainview, and owned and operated it up to a few years ago. He had been over to Portales, N. M. visiting a daughter, and said there had been snow on the ground over there ever

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since soon after Thanksgiving.

S. Collier was in to see us Saturday.

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If all these little would-be republics become separate countries the map of Europe will bear a remarkable likeness to a patchwork quilt.

COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sideache, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.—Mrs. Minnie Phillips, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left arm. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffer usually about three days. I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go. I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me.

One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle. I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui. Try Cardui today. 8-78

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MONROE NEWS ITEMS OF THE PAST WEEK

The people of the community are exceptionally glad to see the weather clear up again, on account of it being so hard on the stock and the farmers wishing to return to their work in the fields.

The health of the community is reported improved as the flu has let up. Mr. Dowling Cox and his sister, Leola, spent Saturday night in Lubbock at the home of W. T. Thaxton, returning home on the train Sunday afternoon.

The following were seen in Lubbock Saturday: Messrs A. E. Greenhill, A. A. Bratcher, J. A. Long, I. L. King, Hayden and Burrell Warren, Ray and Hal Showalter, Perry and Finis Vaughn.

The extent we would like for the people of the community and the surrounding country to come and help us reorganize the Sunday School.

We regret the absence of Pierce Warren who has returned to his training camp at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, but hope to have him back with us some time in the spring.

The men and boys of the community have made quite a raid on the rabbit population in the past few weeks, and now are looking forward to a bumper crop this year.

The community welcomes the new family, Mr. Brock, who has moved on the H. W. Pennington place. We hope he will share his favors with the community.

Tom Flanagan was seen in town on Tuesday.

Messrs A. E. Greenhill and I. L. King were in town Tuesday.

News was received by A. A. Bratcher from Robert Johnson and William Bundy who are to sail for England soon. Our hopes for their speedy return are with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Haney and son and Miss Grace Horner spent Sunday afternoon at the home of J. D. Warren.

Those Bowser boys are happy. Lubbock Tailoring Co. 28

JOAN OF ARC

GEO. M. HUNT
Lubbock, Texas

As an introduction to the poem that follows, the writer deems it proper to present this brief biographical sketch:

Joan of Arc, an unlearned peasant girl of France, was born at Domremy in the year 1411. She was also known as Jeanne D'Arc. Her father, Jacques, her one sister and three brothers were called by the name of D'Arc. She was a shepherdess, and with her sister and brothers, looked after her father's flocks, but was deeply interested in the welfare of her country.

Early in her teens, she seems to have been inspired by a higher power, to serve France as a warrior, and listened to the voice of an angel to direct her in her course, but every one felt that she was visionary, and many looked upon her as a witch, and a child of Satan. She had a lovable disposition and a sympathetic heart.

Through the treachery of Queen Isabel and the Duke of Burgundy, a treaty was made, by which France was betrayed into the hands of England, and was brought under her sovereignty. This aroused the indignation of Joan, and she resolved to set her homeland free. The armies of France were cowed and demoralized. The King disinherited, was discouraged and indifferent, but in spite of all opposition, she succeeded in raising an army which she led victoriously to Orleans, and lifted the siege that had been maintained by the English and Burgundians for nearly seven months. After this brilliant victory, her greatest ambition, was to crown her king at the city of Rheims, which she did a few months later.

She was captured by the enemies of France, turned over to the English, who, after the pretense of a trial, convicted her as a heretic, and burned her alive at the stake, in 1431, when she was only twenty years old. Her life with the records of these events, furnish the most unique history of the world, as well as the most interesting of all succeeding ages, save one, "The Babe of Bethlehem."

Joan of Arc, a peasant girl,
Could neither read nor write,
Yet at the age of seventeen,
Became a gallant knight.

To learn as many modern girls,
She did not have the chance.
But loved to watch her father's flocks
Among the hills of France.

To gather flowers in the vale,
That she might always find,
And make bouquets for little friends,
Would fill her youthful mind.

But visions of her great renown,
To her were all unknown,
And how the millions yet unborn,
Would claim her as their own.

Her kind and sympathetic heart,
Was often filled with grief;
She dearly loved her native land,
And longed to give relief.

Thus, very early in her teens,
With faith that God would aid,
She made a vow to crush the foe,
And all her plans were laid.

She would go forth in armor clad,
Here enemies to meet,
And lead a band with hopes renewed.

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To compass their defeat.
She listened to the angel's voice,
That taught her what to do,
And with unfailing trust she learned,
The course she should pursue.

But many great men, said of her,
She's nothing but a child,
And is deceived about her call,
With fancies vague and wild.

And while she begged to see the king,
His sanction to obtain,
And gave her valiant men to lead,
Her pleading seemed in vain.

At last he yields and soldiers call,
And now she hears him say,
Supreme commander you shall be,
And always lead the way.

She mounts her steed with flaming sword,
And waves it in the air,
Then shouts for all to follow her,
And in her triumph share.

Her banner floats above her head,
That all may plainly see,
The siege of Orleans she will raise,
And set her people free.

She now is offered great reward,
For noble work she's done,
For daring deeds in leading men,
And for the battles won.

She says, but one thing I will ask,
That occupies my dreams,
I wish to go without delay,
And crown the king at Rheims.

THE RAILROADS.

Just now the question whether the management of American railroads should remain with the government or revert to the owners is discussed far and wide. Cogent reasons are advanced by the advocates of either course.

But in whose hands soever the management stands, many improvements are needed for the sake of the public.

We have all endured willingly and cheerfully the inconveniences, delays and curtailment of service which the war made necessary. But now, realizing that the business development of the country depends upon good railroad facilities, we ask for a return to pre-war conditions.

Better transportation and freighting will assist in the readjustment of business from coast to coast. There should be repairs of many lines, replacement of rolling stock, improved service generally.

The primary object of railroads is to serve the people, and any conditions of ownership or management are secondary matters.

It is rumored in France that McAdoo will be the man that will go from America to attend the peace conference after President Wilson leaves for home.

A LETTER FROM OUR FORMER LINOTYPE OPERATOR

The following in part is a letter received from our former linotype operator, who was on the job here when the war started between America and Germany, and though he was in the draft age he offered his services to his country long before he would have been called under the draft regulations and has been in France quite a while. His letter follows:

Camp De Coetquidan, France,
December 15th, 1918

Mr. Jas. L. Dow,
Lubbock, Texas.

My Dear Friend and Employer:

I feel ashamed for not writing to you sooner but we have been training hard and stationery is hard to get. I have received several letters from my friends since I have been over here, which were sure were appreciated. I also get the Avalanche regular, and read it all, including the ads. I regretted very much to give up my job but my patriotism and love of my country forced me to do so, and after all just a part of the 36th Division was all that was necessary to demonstrate the fighting qualities of the Texas boys. I did not have the honor to be a party to it (the boys that showed them how.) We do not know yet

when we will come home, but are hoping it will not be long as we feel that the war is over and our work is about finished.

We arrived at Brest, August 13th then came later to Camp Coetquidan, which is near Reims and have been here every since. We were in one of the biggest submarine battles ever fought at sea, so far as I can learn we got four or five of them; some fun and excitement but no accidents to us.

Hoping that I may be permitted to return to Lubbock and there make my future home, I beg to remain,
Your Employee

PRVT. CLINT EDWARDS
Battery E, 132nd Field Artillery
36th Division A. E. F.

Dr. Hinshaw, of Newton, Iowa, is here this week to visit his father, Mr. Hinshaw, who is one of our substantial farmers. Dr. Hinshaw was at Camp Beauregard, Arkansas, for the past several months in the service of Uncle Sam. The doctor is a young man of sterling worth and stands high among his home people.

Kings may come and kings may go, but old King Santa Claus goes marching on at the head of his great army in unending victories.

BETTER SERVICE

Is what we strive to give every day. We are never satisfied to quit striving for the better service and in this way we have pleased others and feel that we can also please you. Eat with us.

MARTIN'S

FATHER AND TWO CHILDREN BURIED IN ANSON SUNDAY

Anson, Texas, Jan. 6.—Oscar Randel, aged 28 years and two daughters, aged 4 and 7 years were buried in the cemetery here Sunday afternoon. The bodies of the two little girls were laid to rest in one coffin while that of the father was in another casket. They were buried in two graves three feet apart.

Mr. Randel died Saturday about 12 o'clock, one of the girls died at 10 p. m. and the other child passed away at 12 o'clock at night. All were victims of pneumonia following influenza, and of only a few days duration. Mrs. Randel and her only surviving child, aged 15 months, are both ill with the influenza, and were unable to attend the funeral.

BACK ON THE JOB

I have returned from Austin where I was civilian instructor in mechanics at the State University. I am now back at my old job at the Lubbock Buick Garage.—William T. McKinley. (281)

Many activities ceased with the war, but the Red Cross stays on the job.

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INTERESTING BATCH OF BADGER LAKE LOCALS

The snow is melting considerably, though the ground is almost white with a sheet of ice and sleet.

Miss Velma Newton resumed her school duties in the Lubbock High School Monday after several weeks' absence on account of the suspension.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Askew are visiting relatives in Lubbock this week.

Mr. Ray Hightower left Sunday for Burk Burnett looking after oil well interests.

Miss Bessie Collier was in town shopping Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Emery visited J. M. Butler and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Stone were Sunday guests in the Mrs. Lula Cone home.

Mrs. W. C. Vaughn was in town shopping Monday.

Mr. S. Collier and daughter visited Steve Collier and family Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Adkins has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Gilliland are visiting relatives in Lubbock this week.

Misses Ruth and Pauline Newton, Lula Cone and Jewell and Opal Cathey all returned to school Monday after holidays and sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvies Abney visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kindles Saturday and Sunday.

NOTICE

We have bought the Doktor Jim Shoe Shop. It will be run in the same up-to-date manner. All work guaranteed. Once our customer always our friend.—J. A. Blackwell. (263)

FORMER PLAINS EDITOR WRITES FROM FRANCE

The following letter is from Mr. Warwick, former editor of the Randall County News, who has been with the Y. M. C. A. in France for several months. It is interesting in as much as it tells of the country over there and what the Y's are doing:

Verdun, Nov. 23.

The censor says we can now tell where we are and all about it. I am in the famous city of Verdun tonight having moved here from Etray, which is northeast about 12 miles. The last German line was only half a mile from there as you know. The place where I mentioned as being in the ditch was near Semeneux, or rather what was left of it, as there was no signs of a town excepting a few little piles of stones. It was among the scores of towns along the front which have been absolutely wiped off the earth.

The town where I first joined the troops was Dombosle, and the fight where I wrote you of is called the Argonne Forest, our regiment having taken Pontfaucou. I did not get to that town, but visited the remains of all the other towns around there. From there we moved to Troyon, and it was near there, east of Rupt and Moilly where I was stationed in the woods. This was a portion of the St. Mihiel front. From there we came through Genicourt to Verdun, making this town in the night's march which I told you of. I wrote to you something about it while we were there. We went on to Semeneux where we camped in the ditch for nearly two weeks, dodging shells and after the armistice moved to Etray where we stayed until Wednesday of this week when our troops moved into Verdun.

Mr. Hale and I are situated tonight in a comfortable room in some part of Verdun—I don't know where. We found our outfit and Captain Howard said there were rooms near his. All you have to do in these cities along the front is go in and help yourself. The lucky fellow sometimes finds a really whole room. In the small towns a whole room is impossible but in Verdun I presume there are a few houses which have really whole rooms. Well we are located in a back room with a fine fire place. All but two of the lights were gone out of the two windows but we found some old cloth and tacked over the openings.

Wood is plentiful, if you know how to get it. You just go to a blown down house, gather up what you want and then get it to your room without a Frenchman seeing you. The French don't like to have the ruins used for firewood, but keeping warm during November requires some wood, and getting it that way is the easiest I have found yet. We are in a three story building, and there are not more than half a dozen window panes left whole in the building. There are shell holes in the roof. The ceiling of our room has two holes in it, but we are so much more comfortably located than we are used to that it seems homelike. Every fellow has to rustle for himself and if you hunt long enough you can get together a very respectable outfit in a town of this size. We have a long table to eat and write on—(our Company's kitchen is across the street so we get our mess in our kit and come back here to eat). We have a small table to set things on. We have two real chairs—the first I have seen since leaving Paris. We have one bedstead which we tossed a coin to see who would get, and I won. There are no springs and it is like sleeping on the floor, but keeps my roll a little cleaner. We will try to get another tomorrow. Oh, yes, and we found an old mirror today—it is badly patched up from passed cracking, but one end is good and gives a fellow a chance to see more than one corner of his nose as we have been accustomed to with our French mirrors. Our den is a real mansion and we are real proud of it—but we will have to move in a day or two. We might forget how to pack our rolls up if we didn't move often. Where will we

go? No one knows. We may come home. We may go to Germany. We may go to a rest area. We may stay here. There might be other things we could do but I don't know of them. The old 79th Division has been placed in three different army corps in the past twenty-four hours, and may experience the same rapid change in the next 24.

This evening Hale and I went scouting through the old houses to see what we could see. Evidently we are on a semi-business and department house street as all the lower floors have evidences of being business houses. Of course, nothing is left but old junk, and little of that. I have seen no store windows with whole panes. Practically every house population of the town was before is a wreck. I don't know what the war but it must have been nearly 100,000 or more. It is solidly built and more French people can live in a block than Americans. The top two or three of these stores were flats and they are really nice rooms, all well papered but minus all furniture and windows and in some cases with either great shell-holes in the side or tops. One's imagination cannot stretch to the ruin which has been wrought in Verdun by the German shells. The Germans surrounded the city on three sides and poured a terrific fire into the city for four years. They were shelling here when we passed through before, and the night we left a shell hit the big building in which two companies of our men had been staying. Luckily we had gone.

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WILL O'HAIR DIED AT TEXARKANA SATURDAY

Information was received here last Saturday of the death of Will R. O'Hair, at Texarkana, Texas. Mr. O'Hair is a son-in-law of Judge and Mrs. James R. Robinson. His remains were sent to Coleman for burial, that being his old home town. Mrs. O'Hair and baby were also reported to be confined to their bed at a sanitarium at that place with a case of flu. John F. Robinson and Mrs. L. S. Mast have gone to the bedside of their sister, and will remain until her condition is better.

B. R. McWhorter left this week for Burk Burnett to look after further development of the Lubbock-Slaton Oil Company, who will soon begin drilling of a well on their property. This company is composed mostly of Lubbock and Slaton people.

Come to Lubbock.

DR. I. E. GATES GOES TO SAN ANTONIO

Dr. I. E. Gates has resigned as pastor of the First Baptist Church at Amarillo, to accept like position of the First Baptist Church at San Antonio. His resignation is effective February first at Amarillo, and will go at once to his new field. Dr. Gates is one of the biggest if not the most able preachers in the Baptist church in the west, and his new field of operation will give him larger opportunities. His thousands of friends in West Texas and especially on the Plains where he has spent so much of his time during the past eight or ten years, are glad to know of his steady advancement and wish him continued success in his new field.

E. C. Simmons was called to Littlefield Monday to prepare the body of Horace S. Wright for shipment to Snyder.

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A boy baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shelton Saturday. Mother and babe doing nicely. Shelton says he doesn't know his name and is not very well acquainted with him yet, but thinks they will get along very peacefully by letting the youngster have his own way.

Those Bowser folks are happy. Lubbock Tailoring Co. 28

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W. D. Benson is moving his law library from Lubbock to Wichita Falls, where he is expecting to locate.

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

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

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our thanks to each and everyone both at Abernathy and Lubbock for the many acts of kindness and sympathizing words during the illness and death of Chester D. Shaw. We realize that everything that human hands could do was done for his comfort while living and when death came his friends and ours took special care of his remains and bore them tenderly to the last resting place. The Odd Fellows at Lubbock are especially remembered for their care of him while there and then to assist his home lodge in laying him away. We cannot find words that will express our appreciation for your kindness to us and our deceased loved one. The floral offerings were beautiful and appreciated to the fullest extent by the family. May God's richest blessings abide with each and everyone who by word or act aided our grief the easier to bear.

Mrs. C. D. Shaw and children
R. B. Shaw.
Davis Shaw.
Mrs. Pearl Pearce.
Bob Shaw.
Lee Shaw.
Mrs. Adella Drew.

HALL COUNTY BOY LOSES LEGS IN WAR

Crocket N. Ward of Lakeview came in Thursday morning from San Antonio, where he went to visit his son, Lawrence, Co. H., 142nd Inf., who had been badly crippled in France, and was in the hospital at Fort Sam Houston. The young man was just 19 years old. He was struck by a shell and his left leg taken off the knee. His right leg was broken below the knee by the concussion from the shell. The father found the young man enjoying the very best of care in the hospital and being liked by everybody. He is the only one of the overseas soldiers to arrive here badly crippled. The leg amputated has healed up and is well. The other leg is still in the Paris case. He is in good spirits and says he got out so much better than many of his comrades that he is delighted. He killed several Germans before he got his injury. The father, like all of our citizenship is proud of the record made by the young man.—Hall County Herald.

ELECTRICITY TO MAKE U. S. SHIPS BEST IN THE WORLD

Washington, Jan. 2.—America's capital fighting ships of the future will be superior to those of other nations because of their electrically driven machinery, Secretary Daniels told the House Naval Committee today, in disclosing remarkable results attained by the new dreadnaught, New Mexico, equipped with the electric drive, which is to be a feature of all the big ships authorized since 1916.

The New Mexico's turbo-electric machinery was designed to develop 26,500 horse power at full speed and to give the ship a speed of twenty-one knots.

"She actually developed more than 31,000 horse power," Daniels said, "and maintained for four hours a speed of twenty-one and one-fourth knots and this when running at a displacement 1,000 tons greater than her design called for."

MRS. ED AINSWORTH AND SON IN AUTO CRASH

A car driven by Mrs. Ed Ainsworth and a garage car from the Abilene Auto Company collided Sunday afternoon at the corner of North fifth and Cedar. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ainsworth was hurt, but not seriously. No one else was injured. The cars were damaged to the extent of several dollars each.—Abilene Daily Reporter.

Of course some people say we are overoptimistic. Well, maybe we are, but we would rather die in the faith than rust out.

COL. C. C. SLAUGHTER IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Col. C. C. Slaughter, one of the pioneers among Texas cattlemen, is slowly sinking at his home here. His recovery is not expected by physicians in attendance. Colonel Slaughter took to his bed two weeks ago and has grown worse since that time. He is 82 years of age.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Cleve Law was a pleasant caller at this office the first of the week from Clovis. He reports splendid prospects in that country. The wheat acreage is large and the fine snow and moisture that has come during the winter is putting the country in fine shape.

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A. C. SANDERS MARRIED AT WEATHERFORD LAST WEEK

A. C. Sanders, for several months a citizen of Lubbock County, but later of Littlefield was here Friday of last week, returning home from Weatherford, accompanied by his bride of a few days, having recently been married in Weatherford, Texas. The following clipping from a Weatherford paper tells the story:

Mrs. Fannie Frye-Price was married Friday afternoon to A. C. Sanders of Littlefield, Texas, at the residence of the bride's brother, J. B. Price, Rev. T. S. Barcus, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. The wedding was a quiet affair, only relatives being present. Mr. Sanders was a citizen of Weatherford at one time, but for the past several years has been engaged in business at Littlefield, while his bride is well known in Weatherford and admired for her many womanly graces. Their friends join in wishing them a happy married life.

POULTRY SCHOOL WILL BE AT AGRICULTURAL OFFICES

The poultry school, the program of which appeared in the Avalanche last week, will be held in the Agricultural

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If you care for heavy hair that glides with beauty and is radiant with life, has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. Surely get a small bottle of Knewton's Danderine from any drug store and just try it.

offices in the court house. January 10th and 11th are the dates for this school to hold in Lubbock county, and it is hoped that there will be a good attendance of the farmers and poultry raisers of Lubbock county at this meeting. It is bound to result in great good to all those who are interested in the raising of poultry.

Do your New Year's resolving early.

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AMERICA'S MORAL FORCE

In President Wilson's brief address at Carlisle he said: "It is moral force as much as physical force that has defeated the effort to subdue the world."

Every nation worthy of the name has a firm substratum of moral force. The nation may seem immersed in the affairs of the world; perhaps its attention is devoted to commerce and the development of science, perhaps to the promotion of luxury.

But beneath these outward signs lies the moral force, only awaiting emergency to come to the surface. It will take possession of the nation's finest thought, and the love of money and the love of luxury will in a moment as it were, be subordinated.

In the recent war we have seen America change with rapidity from a peace-loving, materialistic country to one swayed by its belief in right-willing to sacrifice money, comfort pleasure for a principle. America's young manhood believed that in entering the war it was launched in the holiest of all crusades.

President Wilson may be an idealist, but America under all forms of practically and materialism is a country of ideals. It was indeed the moral force lying back of its physical force which helped to bring about the great result.

LOST—One street crossing. When last seen by the public was stretched across the street between Heim's tin shop and the Western Windmill Company. This walk was laid by the city of Lubbock a number of months ago, and although it has never been of very much use except in dry weather, it is of still less value when there is any water on the street. However we would like to have it back in sight and it might be that some day it will be raised to a height that it will be really valuable. Finder notify the Avalanche and receive our thanks.

Many people will read strange things in the scriptures such as the coming and ending of wars—beast, the kaiser—but few can read their duties toward God and their fellow men.

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Lubbock, Texas.

You will find people who complain at the government from the Federal head to the seat of government of the city. Even in Lubbock. Well, there has been mistakes made, we believe in the affairs of this city—there are mistakes made in most every great enterprise, but most all of them are minor in their nature and will be overcome in present and future administration and we believe that Lubbock has as able yet of officials as you will find most anywhere, and Lubbock will fare well under their care. It will take time for them to work out from under some of the mistakes of early days in city affairs—the blame for which we lay on no one's shoulders, but they will pull us through, and no one will be specially hurt. Those who complain most are those who have to pay a right sharp sum of money each year as taxes, but most every case is where those who have it now have made it all in Lubbock—why should they worry? Bow your necks gentlemen and stay with your Lubbock property. It will make you even richer in years to come. Lubbock will have five-times her present population within another ten years. Set your pegs down and see if we are right.

We heard a fellow say the other day that Lubbock would be a dead town for a long time. She has never been dead, and that is not all she is not going to be dead. There is always something doing in Lubbock if there is anything doing anywhere on the Plains. Lubbock is one of the live numbers of the Plains and with the coming of spring there will be much activity in this city. The knockers will be principally carpenters with a hammer building new buildings and various improvements. Lubbock is located exactly on the proper spot for a city, and if we never believed in predestination in any other way, we believe that Lubbock was intended for the hub of the plains—the city of the plains. And she will be, but guess we had better all pull together, which will hasten her to reach the proportions that we have pictured her. Come to Lubbock.

Progress is not made by sitting down and staring at the ground; but by pushing continually forward. Some time we may not be making as rapid progress as we might want to, but as long as we keep going there is no danger of losing ground and when the hard pull is over we will be ready for the easy sailing.

According to newspaper dispatches from Berlin the natives tangoed the New Year in and Fox-trotted the old year out. This was said to be their first dance in four years, among the civilians. The German soldiers were made to dance a number of times by the bullets from the guns of the A. E. F.'s.

The Midland Reporter says that T. J. O'Donnell is threatening to promote another railroad soon. Mr. O'Donnell has just finished a road from Midland to Seminole, which he built during the war times, and he has been connected with a number of roads built in West Texas.

Governor Hobby is real busy these days preparing his message to the legislature which will convene January 14th.

The Lubbock country is badly in the mud, and possibly the streets of Lubbock are the muddiest part of the country.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Stomach. Because of its tonic and laxative 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.

Miss Ruby Lou Henderson, of Colorado City is here, the guest of Mrs. Granville Johnson.

SOUR, ACID STOMACHS, GASES OR INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapiesin" neutralizes excessive acid in stomach, relieving dyspepsia, heartburn and distress at once.

Time! In five minutes all stomach distress, due to acidity, will go. No indigestion, heartburn, burping or belching of gas or flatulencies of undigested food, no diarrhoea, flatulence, foul mouth, headache.

Pape's Diapiesin is sold after its special instructions, and is the surest, quickest stomachic remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless. Let us send to stomach distress at once by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store. When realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder caused by fermentation due to excessive acids in stomach.

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Has an invitation to see us for their accessory needs. Motoring is not always pleasant during the winter months but we help you over the rough places at our garage and our free air and water are waiting for you right at the curb.

GENERAL AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY

Lubbock, Texas

PUBLIC HEALTH

Botulism

This is a form of food poisoning that in its severe forms, at least, is not very common, yet it occurs with sufficient frequency to deserve attention. Recently an epidemic occurred in England of what was believed to be botulism, although many physicians thought that it was a disease similar to infantile paralysis, and differing from it only in being seated in the brain instead of in the spinal cord.

The first cases of botulism that were recognized as a distinct disease occurred in Germany about twenty years ago, and were traced to the eating of tainted sausage, the examination of which revealed the presence of a microbe that received the name of Bacillus botulinus, from botulus, the Latin word for sausage. At that time physicians supposed that the germ was to be found in meat only, but more recently cases have occurred from the eating of improperly canned beans and other vegetables. It has been said that the process known as cold canning is dangerous because the heating required is not sufficient to destroy the offending bacillus; but the officials of the Department of Agriculture have stated positively that there is no possibility of poisoning if the cold canning is done as directed by the government bulletins. The germ itself readily succumbs to the heat that is necessary even for cold canning, and the toxin that it excretes is promptly destroyed by boiling heat.

The symptoms of botulism do not usually appear until twelve to twenty-four hours or even several days after a person has eaten the infected food. At the beginning there is a sensation of great fatigue; with inertia, nausea, dizziness, dimness or blurring of sight or double vision, and inability to walk straight—indeed the early symptoms are not unlike those of alcoholic intoxication except that the mind is unaffected. A peculiarity of this form of food poisoning is that the symptoms persist for a long time, in some cases for weeks or even two or three months—a protraction that sometimes has caused physicians to confuse it with nervous disease. It is probably true, however, that the prolonged cases are the severe ones, and that there are many more transitory cases, which the person affected believes to be indigestion or biliousness.

The treatment is patience; fortunately, botulism is not often fatal, but it is extremely tedious.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE LUBBOCK DRY GOODS CO.

I wish to thank the people who voted for me during the contest at the Lubbock Dry Goods Co. I am the proud winner of the first prize which I consider as a gift of my friends who voted for me. I also wish to thank the Lubbock Dry Goods Co. for putting on the contest and giving away such valuable prizes.

MRS. H. H. NIXON
Slide, Texas 281

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SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR QUICK MONEY

36-inch plaid woolen suiting, regular \$1.25, now	95c yd
36-inch cotton checks suiting, regular 75c, now	60c yd
36-inch all wool serge, regular \$1.00, now	80c yd
27-inch heavy outing, 35c quality, now	29c yd
26-inch Outing, 25c quality, now	20c yd
Best fancy gingham	30c yd
Men's Rubber Boots	\$3.50 and \$3.75 pr.
A complete line of knit goods such as scarf sets, caps and men and boys sweaters at	20 per cent off
3 Cans Jergens Oriental talcum	25c
3 Cans Air Floam talcum	25c
1 12-oz. can Dettwood Talcum	20c

Not room to mention all our specials.

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PHONE 434

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Phone 392.

MRS. STEWART'S MOTHER DIED AT MARIETTA, TEXAS

Mrs. C. L. Stewart received a message today from Marietta, Texas, to the effect that her mother, Mrs. J. B. Bohannon, aged fifty years, had died at her home at that place, supposed to be of flu. They had received a letter from members of the family just a few hours before getting the death message that her mother was recovering nicely from the flu, and the news of her death came like a bolt of lightning out of a clear sky. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart could not get there in time for the funeral so did not go.

Ernest Anderson a brother-in-law of Chas. Lundell, of Minnesota, was a pleasant caller at the Avalanche office today. He is here on a visit with Mr. Lundell and is accompanied by his wife. It is his first trip to the South Plains, and the train he came down through Kansas on ran into a snow drift and stuck for twenty-four hours. He was under the impression that we never had any winter weather down here, but is of the opinion now that it gets as cold here as in his home state. He came about Christmas time and it has been cold and bad weather every since.

WANTED

Trifade for residence lots in Mineral Wells, Texas. E. L. Meredith, Box 872. (281)

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should be your yard. Shamburger sells only the best grades of building materials and every order must please you. See us for prices and estimates.

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as well as all other kinds blacksmithing and wood work and we guarantee to please you every time. See us for oxy welding. Try our turning lathe. Expert horseshoeing.

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Lubbock, Texas

EVERY HIDE YOU BRING US

means just that much money saved for future needs. And your junk is turned into cash at our place of business. Keep coming. Top prices every deal.

PLAINS POULTRY & HIDE CO.

South Side Square

Phone 128.

Lubbock, Texas

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children, from birth, with worms, have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and set the General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or expel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

Capt. Dick Jarrot came in this week. He is now through with Uncle Sam and ready to get back on the job at the ranch. We welcome him home and wish him well.

Where is The Gift Shop

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was what the people were asking awhile back

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Through our straightforward business methods we have become widely known, as the center of the gift purchasers of West Texas.

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Letters from our Boys in Service at Home and "Over There"

Ralph Goodnight

Clermont, France.

December 8th, 1918

My Dear Mother:

This is a very pretty afternoon and I wish that I was at home as I believe that I could give that Buick a chase. I only know when I will get back.

I might be back in two months then it might be a year, but don't look for me until you see me coming, and I don't want you to worry about me as I am getting along fine and I am with a good crowd of boys.

I am going off to school tomorrow but I don't know what kind of a school it is. The whole Intelligence Section is going. We will be gone three weeks and when we get back we are going to have a three days maneuver.

I know that you had a great day November 11th. They said that they surely did prize things up over here back off of the fronts. I was on the front that day which was my third day in battle this time. The morning the armistice was signed was the worst of all. They started to shell us about eight o'clock that morning and kept it up till almost ten-thirty. It was some awful day believe me. You could look any way you wanted to and see some one killed or wounded. Some of them were just torn all to pieces. I lay in a shell-hole about two hours, that was one time I got close to the earth, too. After the shelling was over we started to advance again and we were going over the top when orders came to lay arms down. That was good news for both sides and you never heard a sound from either side. We just sat down and wondered if it was true. We were tired, sleepy and hungry for we had not had but one meal in three days and very little sleep. I surely was lucky to come out without a scratch and I know that God cared for me.

You can't imagine what a battle is until you get into one.

I got your letters the other night that were written the 11th and 12th of November saying that you were glad that I didn't have to go to the front. I just had to laugh when I read that for I was right in the midst of it when you were writing.

I would have written to you sooner but they started us on a hike just as soon as we came off the front line and we just got in here a few days ago. We hiked 175 miles. You did not think that I could do that didn't you? But I have stood lots since I came in this army that I didn't think I could stand before. But you know that I never would let the man beside me do more than I did.

I suppose you have heard from Clarence by this time. I wish that I had his address for I may not be very far from him. I think that after the 11th of this month I can get a seven-day pass and if I knew where he is I could go to see him perhaps.

Nature's Remedy
PILLS
Box

P. HOPKINS, LUBBOCK, TEXAS

They surely have kept us on the go since we came over here. I have been nearly all over France, but have not been in any of the large cities. We always miss them some way. I am going to send you a list of the towns I have been in over here some time soon.

I was about to forget to tell you where we were stationed when hostilities ceased on the fronts. We were right in behind Metz.

We may get to go over in Germany in about a month. I would like to go but I want to come home too. However, it will be a nice trip and I might as well see all I can while I am here.

I was also on the front twenty days in September. But we did not have to do much fighting for about all they had up there was the artillery. We got shelled several times and we gave them the devil for it, too.

This will be all for this time but will write again soon.

Here's hoping I will see you before many more months. With lots of love to all.

Your boy,
Ralph Goodnight.

RED CROSS ITEMS

The following is an extract from a letter received from Red Cross Headquarters:

"We do not believe that there is a person filling an executive position in any chapter who has not been confronted with the difficulties of Chapter production since the signing of the armistice. Many people do not realize that merely an armistice has been signed and that the war is not yet at an end, nor will it be until the peace treaties are definitely concluded, and even with the signing of a definite peace, the work of the Red Cross will continue until we have all completed our obligations to the millions of people who have so nobly carried on this war and sacrificed for us as well as for themselves. We should like to impress one thing however, upon the minds of every loyal Red Cross worker, that speed is today the paramount thing, and that garments are the utmost value now may no longer serve their purpose a few months hence. For this reason, many changes have been made in the making of refugee clothing the one idea being in all cases to eliminate all possible unnecessary work."

"If we could sit down with each Director of Woman's work, we feel sure that in a very short time that it would not be difficult to come to a thorough understanding. It oftentimes is hard to enter into detailed explanation at a distance even though the thing we are talking about is of utmost interest to both. Hard work confronts all of us for the first three weeks in January. Supplies must be shipped from chapters by the 25th in order to start orders from the division the first of February. If your entire quota is not complete, ship as much as possible. If you have only one child's dress to send, remember that one dress will keep one child warm and send it. If you have only one woman's skirt to send remember that otherwise one woman would be

Don't Forget--

About our Harness. We make it for you any way that you want it made. And every job is guaranteed. See us also for auto top work.

Moore Brothers

North Side Square

PHONE 65

Lubbock, Texas

"IF WE MUST DIE"

Said Spartacus, addressing the Roman gladiators, "Let us die together." Spartacus should have reflected that **THERE IS NO IF ABOUT DYING**

The only certain thing in an uncertain life is the ultimate call for the Undertaker.

THE GRIM REAPER IS ALWAYS ON THE JOB.

Your turn may come next. Think it over, and if you conclude that this is true,

"SEE ME BEFORE YOU DIE"

Lubbock Mutual Aid Association

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Room 101 Security State Bank Bldg.

Phone 133

with them to civil life, as an aid and an asset, the continued insurance protection of the United States Government. Tell them, for your sake and for their sake, to hold on to Uncle Sam's Insurance.

Legal R. C. Items.

The Mourning Brassards, or arm bands, which are being worn by relatives as a memorial to boys who paid the supreme sacrifice, have been received by the local chapter. They are being given out by the Home Service Section at their office in the Security Bank Building.

These are given free to parents or wives. Any other relative wishing one they can be purchased for 75 cents. Every one who has lost a boy in the Great Cause is asked to wear one of these bands on the left arm.

A Reward for the Faithful

The local Red Cross Chapter has been notified that everyone who has devoted as much time as eight hundred hours to Red Cross work is entitled to wear a distinctive badge issued by the national headquarters.

A committee, composed of Messrs. Percy Spencer, Roscoe Wilson and Mesdames Clarence Reed and B. O. McWhorter, has been appointed by the Chapter Executive Committee to get out data of all who are entitled to this badge.

Women who have made garments or have done knitting should figure out the number of hours they have worked and submit this information to the committee. All work that has been done for the Red Cross can be figured in, up to a minimum of eight hundred hours.

It is the desire of the Executive Committee that everyone who is entitled to this emblem present their figures to the committee, in order that the people of Lubbock may receive full credit for their work.

Come to Lubbock.

GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS A SKIN WHITENER

How to make a creamy beauty lotion for a few cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier. It about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.

PRESIDENT TO GO BACK TO FRANCE AFTER CONGRESS

Paris, Jan. 6.—President Wilson is to return to the United States to attend the closing sessions of the President Congress, according to present plans and will come back to France for the later stages of the peace congress. The President will make several addresses to Congress and after March 4th, it is expected, will return to France.

H. W. Allen of Brownfield, passed through the city this week on his way home. He has been visiting his

at Elbert. Mr. Allen lost two brothers on the battle front during the war just closed. These young men were well and favorably known over this part of the country and while we mourn their loss at the same they did not die in vain.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure itching, burning, swollen piles. Piles cured in 6 to 14 days. See your druggist for PAIN OINTMENT. Price 50c.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

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CONGRESSMAN JONES HAS PUT IN A BILL

to provide Lubbock with a Federal court. In the mean time be sure and keep up your insurance.

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LUBBOCK, TEXAS

BILLY SUNDAY CLOSED SIX WEEKS MEETING

Sunday closed the six weeks revival meeting in Fort Worth held by the noted evangelist, Billy Sunday. The revival correspondent made the following report:

Responding to Billy Sunday's fervent appeal of "Do it now," 983 persons hit the trail at tonight's meeting, the last of the six weeks' campaign. This is the record for the campaign, including the morning and afternoon sessions, a total of 1,319 persons came up to the platform to-day and pledged their faith to Mr. Sunday. Converts for the entire campaign are estimated to be 8,819. The total attendance of the meeting is placed at more than 360,000.

Announcement was made tonight by the finance committee that the guarantee of \$20,000, required to bring the Sunday party here, was met in the first five weeks of the campaign, and in the last week subscription for Mr. Sunday totaled \$11,500, in addition to the guaranty.

The evangelist will hold his meeting at Richmond, Va., which will begin in about a week after the closing date of the Fort Worth meeting.

NOTICE

We have bought the Doktor Jim Shoe Shop. It will be run in the same up-to-date manner. All work guaranteed. Once our customer always our friend. J. A. Blackwell. (263)

WANTED

To trade for residence lots in Mineral Wells, Texas. E. L. Meredith. Box 872. (281)

A FEW ITEMS OF NEWS FROM THE SLATONITE

There were 56 children born in Slaton during 1918. There were 26 deaths, a large per cent of the deaths being infants.

Dennis Miller, twenty years of age, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Miller, in West Slaton Tuesday evening last week and burial was made in the Slaton cemetery Christmas Day, the Rev. F. A. Whiteley conducting the services, which were held from the home.

T. M. Harris went to Marshall, Texas, last Friday to attend the funeral of a brother Wood Harris, who had died of pneumonia. Wood Harris had gone to Atlanta, Ga., on a vacation trip when he became suddenly ill of pneumonia and lived only a short time.

THE GOVERNMENT IS SELLING ARMY LIVESTOCK

Since the war is over, the government finds that their army is dwindling away, by means of demobilization, but they also find that they have a surplus of horses and mules, that must be disposed of. As a result, they are offering thousands of the choice animals of the land for sale at public auction at the various cavalry depots. At Fort Bliss, Texas, Major D. M. Speed is offering 150 cavalry horses, 250 artillery horses, 90 draft mules, 110 pack mules. Halter and shank will be included with each animal. (281)

Better pay your poll tax this month. You might want to vote during the coming year on some very important matters and you would be embarrassed if you could not exercise your voting privileges because you failed to provide yourself with the proper credentials. Pay up now.

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Samuel McMurtry and wife Julia A. McMurtry, and the unknown heirs of said Samuel McMurtry, if he be dead; and the unknown heirs of said Julia McMurtry, if she be dead; Joshua Morris, and his unknown heirs if he be dead; the unknown heirs of Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased; and E. B. Green, administrator of the estate of Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased; by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 72nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 72nd Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lubbock County, to be held at the court house thereof in Lubbock, on the 9th day of June, 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of November, 1918, in suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1211, wherein H. W. McGee is plaintiff and Samuel McMurtry and wife Julia McMurtry, and the unknown heirs of said Samuel McMurtry, if he be dead, and the unknown heirs of said Julia A. McMurtry if she be dead; Joshua Morris, and his unknown heirs, if he be dead; the unknown heirs of Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased; and E. B. Green, administrator of the estate of said Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased, are defendants, said petition alleging as follows:

To the Honorable W. R. Spencer, Judge of said court:

Now comes H. W. McGee, who resides in Crosby County, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of Samuel McMurtry and wife Julia A. McMurtry, and the heirs of said Samuel McMurtry, if he be dead;

and the heirs of said Julia A. McMurtry, if she be dead; Joshua Morris, and his heirs if he be dead; the heirs of Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased; and E. B. Green, administrator of the estate of said Nettie O. Hawkins, deceased, as follows:

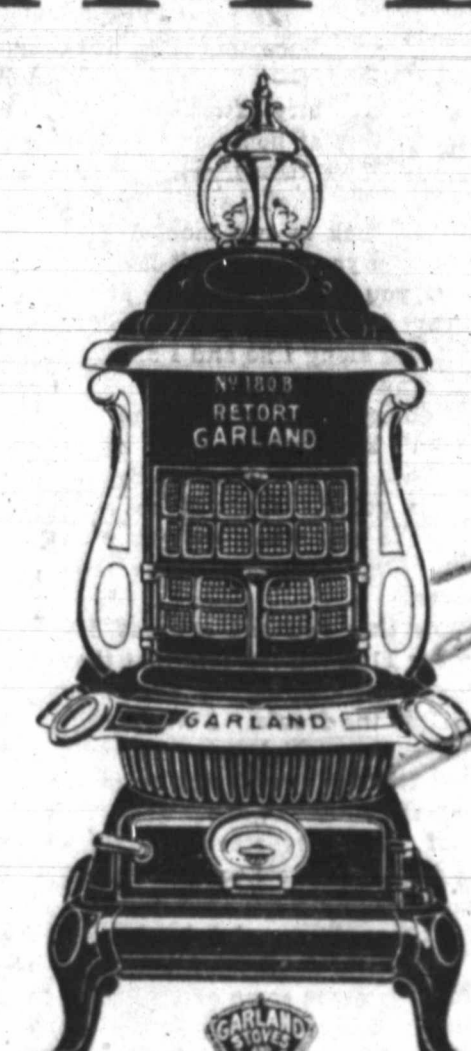
1. That the names of the heirs of the respective parties above named

2. Plaintiff represents to the court that on the 1st day of November, 1918, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Lubbock County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

The North One-half of Survey 129, Certificate 300, Abstract 138, E. L. & R. R. R. Co., except a strip along the north side thereof heretofore conveyed to the Crosbyton South Plains Railroad Company, beginning at the Northwest corner of said Survey 129; thence East along the north boundary of said survey a distance of 5,282 feet more or less to the northeast corner thereof; thence South along the east boundary of said survey a distance of 51 feet more or less to a point which is distant 50 feet southerly measured at right angles from the center line of the Crosbyton South Plains Railroad as the same is now located and staked over and across said survey; thence West along a line which is parallel to and distant 50 feet southerly from the center line of said railroad a distance of 2,733 feet. Thence South at right angles to said center line of said railroad a distance of 25 feet. Thence west along a line which is parallel to and distant 75 feet southerly from said center line of said railroad a distance of 1,140 feet. Thence North at right angles to said center line a distance of 25 feet. Thence West along a line which is parallel to and distant from the center of said railroad 50 feet a distance of 1,409 feet more or less to the west boundary line of said survey. Thence north along said west boundary a distance of 52 feet more or less to the place of beginning, containing 6.87 acres more or less.

2. That on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected the plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld

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Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, and is fretful, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently move out of his little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

REMOVAL NOTICE.
I will move my office from the Leader building Monday, January 6th, to the Security State Bank building, Southwest rooms upstairs.
—DR. T. G. BATES. 27p

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A Remedy to Overcome Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions was Dr. Hartman's Legacy to the World of Suffering.

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Catarrh first attacks the mucous linings in the nose, throat, lungs, stomach, bowels or any other part of the body. Unchecked it finally breaks down the tissues and chronic ailments develop which, if not fatal, are always difficult to cure.

Guard your health with Peruna. Don't wait until too late. Peruna is excellent for coughs, colds, effects of the grip and all catarrhal inflammation and congestion of the mucous linings.

Many startling recoveries have been recorded.

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CHURCH NOTES

Baptist Church.

What kind of churches and beliefs shall we have after the war is the inquiry often made these days? There is about as much tone of loving piety and fear of God in these inquiries as would be put into the question as to what kind of autos we are to have after the war. Auto making is in the hands of men and Christianity is in the hands of God and God, nor yet his salvation, never change. The "Old time religion" will continue to take away the sin and shame of men and to lead them to Heaven. New cults will continue to appear and prey on the Christian work of Bible Christianity and adventurers will seek to fleece the flocks of God but Jesus will guide and lead on his own. Let us not be led away by every cunning and cruel deceiver. Stay with mothers God and mothers faith and the Holy Bible and all will be well.

What sort of politics will we have since the war is over? Better I think and perhaps the cheats will be put out if men learn that every fellow who in time serving synchopathic voice weeps over the evil ways of politicians before the war and is ready to serve the country and to champion any doctrine just so he is given an office. Safe honest solid Christian manhood is needed in all departments of office from constable to president. Cheats will continue to try to deceive the people but let us trust that the day of the cheap demagogue is about ended.

What kind of business are we to have now that we have investigated and beavored every sort of thing? We shall have two kinds of business: good and bad, with some growth I think in favor of the good. Cheats and fraud have been more largely exposed than ever before and the laws of business are better under-

stood by the masses than ever before, so that men cannot resort to great palpable frauds that have been so common in the past. Then too, men are learning the lesson that to be true to themselves and true to all men is the only certain road to business success. Also men are seeing more clearly that life is not made up of quantity but the rather of character. Let us hope that the time is at hand that business will be conducted on the high and Christly plane of honesty and brotherliness.

What kind of society are we to have since the flood gates of democracy have been opened and all men are on the great common level? Well, we shall certainly have some sort of society and some more. We need Christian, society moral society, intelligent society, decent society. There are some sorts of society that will not please everybody and we may sometimes have our high sense of propriety and decency shocked but we must endure what comes and remember that there are only two worlds where only one kind of society exists, Heaven and Hell. If you can tell the one kind of society there is in Heaven and the one kind there is in Hell you might locate your social status on earth. We have our high choice here, but there we get what is coming to us. Let us the choice here for once located beyond there is no changing.

Christians in Lubbock invite every man to seek his place in the kingdom of Heaven and to join with all his ransomed powers in making Lubbock the best Christian town on these Plains. Lubbock's biggest asset is its many good Christian people, its worst misfortune is its bad people. Let us all seek this year to lead all unsaved and erring people into the large inheritance of the children of God. Come to church next Sunday. Your friend J. B. COLE.

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SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. L. S. Mast is visiting in Texarkana, Texas.

Mrs. Hall Robinson came up from Tahoka Saturday to visit Mrs. James R. Robinson.

Mrs. B. Everhart, of Miami, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. M. McCullum.

Mrs. J. D. Birdwell of Big Spring, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Radford.

Miss Lelia Roberts returned to Austin Thursday after spending several weeks at home.

Mr. C. Meek returned Sunday from Vernon where he had been visiting a few days last week.

Mrs. McCaskill has as her guest a sister, Mrs. Wright, of Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis passed through Lubbock last week enroute to Brownfield, where they will make their home. Mr. Lewis has been in San Antonio at training camp and only recently received his discharge.

A jolly party of boys and girls met at the home of Miss Sue Nelson's and all went in a body to the residence of Rev. J. E. Chase in the Southeast part of town Friday night to a surprise party given for Miss Myra Chase. Those present of the girls: Pearl Wright, Francis Fry, Mary B. Hood, Fern Parks, Ida Lou Ellis, Cecil Sims, Patsy Posey. Boys: Julian Boles, Claude Graves, Hess Montgomery, Gerald Lokey, Lawrence Gelin, Fred Sims, Royal Hearn, Wayne Hutson.

The annual party given by the ladies of the 24-42 Club to their husbands was held at Martin's Parlor Friday evening. There were six tables. In spite of the absence of some of the members there were substitutes sufficient to fill all the vacancies and all enjoyed the evening. At the close of the games the tables were arranged for refreshments with lunch cloths and vases of carnations, giving a home-like appearance to the surroundings. Ham and pimento sandwiches, chocolate coffee and fruit cake were served.

THE WEEK'S BATCH OF CENTER NEWS ITEMS

We are glad to see A. W. Jones able to be up and about his business once more.

Mr. Schroeder has been very ill with the flu and pneumonia.

Edgar Abney has been putting a lot of new improvements around his chicken house and lot.

Mrs. A. W. Jones and daughters Rosa Mae and Goldia have returned home from Canyon. We are glad to have them with us once more.

Bill Emery and family visited Mr. Emery's sister and family, Mrs. R. H. Haney last week.

Miss Ewell Honey spent last week with her uncle and family, W. D. Haney, of Badger Lake.

Mr. Habbington killed a beef last week.

Felix Goebel and sister, Theodora, have had a siege of the flu, but are now up and Miss Theodora was able to start her school again Monday.

There has been a great deal of hunting since the snow and we are glad to have the rabbits killed out to a great extent.

Burnice Evans, of Lynn county, visited his uncle and aunt, R. H. Haney and wife one day last week.

We have some new neighbors moving on the old McDonald place. They have had quite a cold time moving in but we are very glad to see the vacant place taken up.

The farmers all seem to be looking forward to a good crop this year as they already have a good season to start in with. Some seem to think that we have had six inches of snow since the 22nd of December.

Come to Lubbock.

JUST TWO

THERE ARE JUST TWO QUESTIONS THAT YOU SHOULD ASK YOURSELF:

FIRST--Can I get by the Doctor? Am I physically able to stand the examination? If this black-blue-red-yellow devil called Influenza grips my body, it may be that I CANNOT pass the examination, so I will attend to it TO-DAY.

SECOND--How much Insurance can I carry? It is no longer a question of believing in Insurance, for you DO, and it is merely acting TO-DAY on your good judgment, and taking every dollar that you possibly can.

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Lubbock, Texas

Phone 151

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM THE ACUFF COMMUNITY

The old year with its trials has passed and we should greet the new with good resolutions. That peace once more reigns and that we have a good prospect for a bumper crop. We should all strive to be better and to think more about Him who gave us these blessings. May the new year bring us all much happiness, good luck and prosperity.

Miss Alline Pounds, of Channing, Texas, is visiting her brother, D. F. Pounds and family this week. She expects to be back at her school work Monday.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. J. J. Baker and family are sick.

We understand the flu is the trouble. Mr. Bob Iles and family are visiting his sister Mrs. A. N. Evitt and family this week. Mr. Iles is on his way to Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. North, of Indiana, is down looking after business affairs this week and is staying with O. E. Rush while here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Evitt move in the house Tuesday, which had formerly been occupied by Mr. Dunlap. We understand that Mr. Dunlap has moved up near the Bledsoe community.

Mr. Will Holland of Anchor, New Mexico, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Easton Evitt.

Herschel Burns was visiting his sister Mrs. Earl Davis last week. He has just recently been discharged out of the army.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Evitt visited his mother Mrs. W. D. Davis Sunday. G. C. Davis and S. E. Nolly went to Lubbock Saturday in a "Jitney" and broke down. Hence some "Sunday job."

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Evitt visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mahan, north of Idalou Monday and Tuesday. Dewey and Floyd Dunlap and C. A. Evitt went on a hunting trip this week up north of Idalou and killed lots of Jack Rabbits.

Mrs. A. P. Rush was over at Mrs. Baker's the latter part of the week helping to care for the sick.

E. O. A. C. and L. S. Evitt carried some bailed hay to Lorenzo Monday.

Bro. Metcalf of Lorenzo, moved Friday. He is close to Acuff now and we shall expect to hear some good preaching. Welcome Bro. Metcalf.

MORE SIDEWALKS ARE VERY BADLY NEEDED

The last three weeks of snow and mud has proven that Lubbock very badly needs more sidewalks. This is especially true up toward the new school building. There is not a line of sidewalk to that building and right now it is surrounded by streets that are full of mud and water, and almost impossible for the children to cross to or from the school building without wading in water over their shoe tops. This condition should not exist long, and property owners who are near the school should at once put in cement walks. It will not only be an accommodation to the school children but will be also a good investment for the owners of property. Money invested in sidewalks is always well spent. Let's have walks to the school building, City Dads.

Lubbock must have a well organized body for taking care of people who are in need. Our United Charities needs more funds than they have ever had. Let's make it an active force for the elimination of want and suffering in our midst.

A child's last vanishing vision of the wonderful Christmas celebration is usually the doctor. It is a pity that the doctor cannot be administered first and the Christmas celebration afterward.

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EX-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT DIED AT HIS HOME MONDAY

Col. Theodore Roosevelt died at his home in Sagamore Hill, early Monday. Mr. Roosevelt was the twenty-sixth President of the United States, serving seven years as chief executive of our country. He succeeded William McKinley who was assassinated. He was buried Wednesday in Young's Memorial Cemetery, on a knoll overlooking Long Island. No special services were held—just the regular burial ceremony of the Episcopal Church, of which he was a member and were conducted by his pastor, Rev. George E. Talmadge.

SPECIAL EXAMINATION FOR CERTIFICATES

The County Superintendent of Lubbock County has received a notice from the State Superintendent of a special examination for Teachers State Certificates of the second and first grade, on Friday and Saturday, January 24th and 25th.

B. H. Black, of Fort Worth, spent several days the past week here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. R. B. Hutchinson. He left Thursday morning for Pecos where he goes to look after business matters.

W. M. Old, of New Boston, Texas, was here this week, with a shipment of hay, which he disposed of, without delay.

Now that all other drinks having a pleasing tang of iniquity are abolished, coffee assumes greater importance and becomes more expensive.

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REFURNISHING THE HOME IS A PLEASANT TASK

Mrs. J. H. Denman of Granbury, Texas, is visiting at the home of her son John. Mrs. Denman will likely be here several days.

M. H. Liming, of San Angelo, is visiting at the home of his father-in-law, L. H. Shelton.

All the breweries in this country have shut down except those that brew trouble.

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TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH ON THE FLU

The struggle to make the world safe for democracy has ended in victory; but influenza has not signed any armistice. Coming from the Orient, almost before we realized its severity, this pestilence has taken its sad toll of nearly a half million of our loved ones. During the month of October a hundred and twenty-eight thousand cases were reported in Texas alone, and six thousand deaths were caused by influenza and pneumonia. Undertakers were unable to supply coffins, and many bodies were buried in pine boxes without any death certificate or burial permit. Truly Eternal Vigilance is no more the price of Liberty than it is a safeguard of Health.

The first epidemic wave subsided and there was a general relaxation of precautions and return to normal commercial relations. Scientific investigators have not been able to find the specific cause of the disease, which plainly showed itself to be very contagious (catching), nor have they been able to suggest any specific remedy for its prevention or cure. General preventative measures of isolation, quarantine, disinfection, and improvement of hygienic and sanitary conditions have proven effective in the control of its spread. Until more certain data for the prevention and cure of this disease is brought to light, the State Board of Health desires to impress the following measures upon the general public:

1. Neither age, sex, race nor station in society offers any indicated safeguard from an attack.

2. The disease seems to enter the body through the respiratory system, and any conditions giving rise to common colds, such as cold, damp, and changeable weather, has given renewed impetus to the subsiding waves.

3. One attack may not insure protection against another, and the mildest cases may be followed by the most severe complications; or may be the source of the most severe compli-

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gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental
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OUR RURAL SCHOOL DE- PARTMENT

Badger Lake School Notes.

School opened again Monday but
the attendance is very small on ac-
count of sickness, cold weather, etc.
Misses Lorene and Ruby Lee Col-
lier were enrolled as new students in
the primary room.

We will be very sorry to lose Per-
ry Patterson and Ella Mae Baskin,
as they are moving to town.
Tolbert and Raymond Cathy will
enter school again Monday.

The school society program, for
Jan. 10, 1919, is as follows:

Reading of Minutes—Lois Cone.
Reading—Mr. Stone.
Reading—Ora Karr.
Reading—Lola York.
Jokes—Cassius Hettler.
Reading—Ruby Lee Collier.
Reading—Carola Hettler.
Quiz—Walter Emery.
Reading—Lorene Collier.
Music—Ruth Newton.
Reading—Hubert Cone.

Debate—Resolved That the In-
dians have been more cruelly treated
than the negroes. Affirmative, Me-
ble Oldham and Raymond Cone. Neg-
ative: Odle Hightower and Fannie
Cox.

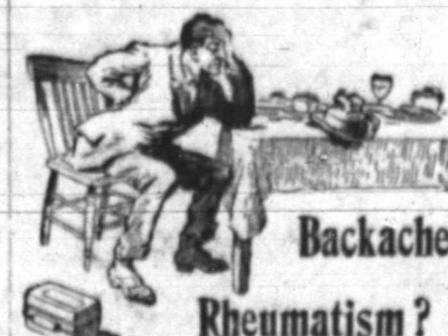
We have purchased our big flag
for our school house but haven't
raised it yet.

We were quite disappointed when
arriving at School Monday and found
that Santa failed to leave new brooms
and boxes of crayon. Guess he was
afraid of our flu.

Santa Claus was very generous to
the Karr children for he left them a
fine piano.

Charles Boyd returned Wednesday
afternoon from Stamford where he
was called to the funeral of his sister-
in-law, Mrs. C. H. Croom, who died in
Denver, Colo. The remains of Mrs.
Croom were laid to rest in the Stam-
ford Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

In order to win success a man
must first fall in love with his work,
or his girl.



Those of us who are past middle age
are prone to eat too much meat and in
consequence deposit lime-salts in the
arteries, veins and joints. We often
suffer from twinges of rheumatism or
lumbago, sometimes from gout, swollen
hands or feet. There is no longer the
slightest need of this, however, as the
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taken all of the trial package, and having great
confidence in the remedy I immediately sent to
the drug store and bought a full-size package.
I can say to all suffering from any disease of
the kidneys or uric acid troubles, try this remedy
and suffer no longer. I have great faith in Dr.
Pierce's remedies."—B. F. HENKLEY.

One little girl in Burford Bridge,
England, has made a record of hav-
ing killed 1415 butterflies in a but-
terfly killing contest held in the
schools of that district. We wonder
what there may be about so beauti-
ful and harmless an insect as a but-
terfly to warrant engaging school
children in such a murderous em-
ployment, and we hope there were
more than a few children who made
a very poor showing in the competi-
tion, believing that for most of them
the contest offered little inspiration.
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NEWS ITEMS FROM THE BADGER LAKE COMMUNITY

We are still enjoying the nice snow and of course "Sleighbing" is the sport of the New Year.

People here couldn't celebrate Christmas and the New Year as they wanted to, on account of the deep snow.

There is very little sickness in our community at present.

Mr. F. D. Blake and family are moving to town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Patterson and family have moved to town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Showalter are spending the Yuletide in Canyon with their daughters, Mrs. Mae Campbell and Edna Showalter.

Miss Anna Mae Murphy of Ochiltree, Texas, was the Christmas guest of Misses Vera and Myra Perkins.

Mrs. R. A. Sowder and daughter, of Ralls, was the week's guests of Mr. H. V. Edsall and children.

Mr. M. M. Baskin and family are moving two miles west of town.

Mr. Nay Hightower and little son, Earl, of Burk Burnett, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hightower and family for several days.

Messrs. Ulyess and Gordon Cone Franz Hettler and Perry Vaughn, have entered school again at Lubbock.

Mr. J. C. Newton and family have been very sick with the influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Gilliland enjoyed Christmas dinner with the latter's mother.

Miss Mable Oldham spent Sunday with Miss Carola Hettler.

Mr. Cassius Hettler visited Walter Emery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Oldham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boyd.

Mrs. F. D. Blake spent Wednesday and Thursday in town with her mother, Mrs. W. N. Haynie.

Mr. Roy Karr was shopping in the city of Idalou Wednesday.

Mr. Bernie Holt of Idalou was seen in our community Sunday.

Miss Odle Hightower is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Looney visited Mrs. D. M. Adkins Thursday.

Several blocks of brick buildings are now being talked of. Old Lubbock is coming out of the kinks that the war and drought put in the building plans, and there will be much doing around here by the time the weather opens up so that real operations can begin. We are on the map and we will be the base of operation for railroads, automobiles and airplanes. Just keep your peepers on Lubbock.

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Greenville, Texas, Jan. 5.—R. D. Thompson, Representative from Hunt County, announces that he will introduce in the Legislature to assemble next week a bill to abolish the Texas Department of Agriculture.

This bill is short. Sec. 1 repeals the law which created the department. Sec. 2 provides that all the duties and functions now required of said department hereafter shall be performed by the A. & M. College of Texas insofar as this shall be practicable and necessary. Sec. 3 declares that the act shall become effective Jan. 1, 1921 (at the expiration of the term of the present Commissioner). Mr. Thompson says:

"I introduced a similar bill in the Thirty-Fifth Legislature, but the opposition was sufficient to encompass its defeat. I am the more convinced that this department entails a useless expense upon the taxpayers of our state, and am very hopeful of securing its passage during the next session."

Several blocks of brick buildings are now being talked of. Old Lubbock is coming out of the kinks that the war and drought put in the building plans, and there will be much doing around here by the time the weather opens up so that real operations can begin. We are on the map and we will be the base of operation for railroads, automobiles and airplanes. Just keep your peepers on Lubbock.

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DON'T ALLOW

yourself to be deceived about the price and quality of the groceries you buy. Reliability is preached and practiced at our store every working day of every year. Try us and see if we do not prove this.

Hunt Grocery Co.

Phones 24 and 75

Lubbock, Texas

court, showing how you have executed the same. Witness: SAM T. DAVIS, Clerk, County Court, Lubbock County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1918.

SAM T. DAVIS, Clerk, County Court, of Lubbock County, Texas.

When you have BACKACHE the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try SANOL, it does wonders

for the liver, kidney and bladder. A trial will convince you. drug store.

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Totrade for residence lots in Min-Box 872.

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Come to Lubbock.

CONLEY'S JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Unusual Bargains in all Departments

Attend our January Clearance Sale and supply all your needs in goods and garments for the remaining days of cold weather at a big saving on every purchase. In all sections of the store you will find interesting bargains. Women's Suits and Dresses and Girls' Dresses at just half price plus \$1.00. Color Georgette Blouses, new White and Flesh Blouses at one-half price plus \$1.00. There are many other prime offerings for this semi-annual clearance.

Every Article in the Store at a Reduced Price---Supply Your Utmost Wants Now While Prices are Reduced---Sale Lasts Until Saturday Night February 8th

Successor to Lubbock
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GET QUICK RESULTS PHONE 14
You can get quick sales or purchases by placing an ad in this department.

NO AD TAKEN
FOR LESS THAN
30 CENTS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Piano good as new. Cheap for cash. Chas. D. Ward at Martin and Wolcott's. (282)

FOR SALE—Extra good registered Duroc Jersey bred gilts. W. F. Boerner, Phone 277. Farm one and one half miles west of Lubbock. 26tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—4 head of work stock and Ford Car. O. Cooper, route 2, Lubbock. 281p

FOR SALE—Three good fresh milk cows. See W. O. Sheeley, 8 miles Northwest of Lubbock. Route 2. 281

FOR SALE—Worth the money, an Allis-Chalmers (10-13) tractor with 3 fourteen inch bottom guard detour plows. Terms half down, balance in breaking. S. C. Rouse, Phone 326. 281

FOR SALE—Five Ringlet Barred Cockerels. Phone 79. (272)

FOR SALE—A good saddle horse. Bargain. Bonds acceptable. Box 630. (272)

FOR SALE—2 horse wagon in A1 condition. Priced right for cash. Phone 9021F13, Gus Hafstedler. (283)

FOR SALE—A low bed iron wheel farm wagon, good condition; also a new cultivator. Both cheap. Box 630. (272)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Well improved 5 acres northwest part city. Snap for somebody. P. O. Box 382. (282)

FOR SALE—70 tons of cane ensilage on the Fairview Farm, three miles east of Lubbock. Drs. Hutchinson and Peebler. 27tf

FOR SALE—2 second hand Ford 1912 model. Cheap for cash. Apply at Bradley Garage on west Broadway. 281

FOR SALE—2500 bundles of cane and kafir 8 to 10 cents per bundle. J. W. Isaac, ten miles southwest from Lubbock. (282p)

FOR SALE—Good heavy work mares and horses. All gentle and in good shape. Will take Liberty bonds or part cash and good notes. J. C. Newton, route 1. Phone 9024-F2. (271f)

FOR SALE—Frost proof cabbage plants, \$2.50 per 1,000; 500 for \$1.50. 100 for 50c. Bermuda onion plants \$1.50 per 1,000; 500 for \$1.00. All delivered and guaranteed to arrive in first class condition. By parcel post or express. Milano Plant Company, Milano, Texas. (274p)

WANTED

WANTED—Plain sewing to do. First class work. Second block, second door north court house. Mrs. J. B. Blandford. (272)

WANTED—Lowest price, best terms and general information about good ranches and farm lands for sale. I have some buyers. W. L. Parton, Claude, Texas. (272)

WANTED—Two second hand triple disc plows, must be cheap. M. C. McCrummen, Phone 60. 282

WANTED—to trade for residence lots in Mineral Wells, Texas. E. L. Meredith, Box 872. 281

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—my farm will sell you one team, some feed and some implements. Sid Rouse. (282)

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Hattie N. Moore. Phone 112. 281

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Improved 160 acres. Two other tracts go with lease, one 180 acres. One 640 acres. All must go together. See J. B. Mobley. (273)

FOR RENT—I will sell you worth the money, 9 tons of heads, 3 tons of baled sorghum, good 3-4 wagon team pony mares, buggy and harness, a few pieces practically new furniture and rent to you 80 acres well improved land for year of 1919. Inquire at Avalanche. 281

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between Magnolia filling station and Medlock's Dairy, heavy winter lap robe. Finder return to Avalanche. 282

FOUND—Initial book pin. Call at the avalanche office. 281

LOST—One Buick 22x3 1/2 casing and rim. Return to this office. 281

LOST—On streets of Lubbock Saturday, January 4th, woolen lap robe. Green checked on outside, brown on inside with fringed ends. Reward for information or return to the Buick Garage. 284

LOST—Smallest size Elgin wrist watch. Two links in chain had been broken and mended. Lost between home and the postoffice. Reward. Return to Miss Fannie Osborne at the Lubbock Dry Goods Company. 281p

FOR TRADE—Ford car for stock. Call for Todd at Sells Livery barn. (282p)

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at the Avalanche office. 44

MISCELLANEOUS

DEATHS.

BURRUS.—Edna, the 10 year old daughter of Ed Burrus of Olton, died at a local sanitarium Friday of the flu. Remains were shipped to Floydada for interment, Saturday.

T. M. CLARK.—Aged 68 years and 5 days. Died at the family residence in north Lubbock, Tuesday January 7th. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Elder Liff Sanders. Interment in the Lubbock Cemetery, Wednesday afternoon.

FLUVANA BLACKSMITH IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Sid Williams, a blacksmith of Fluvana, was shot through the heart and instantly killed at Snyder Monday evening by an accidental discharge of a gun that he was handling.

BORN—to John Denman and wife Sunday, a boy. Mother and babe doing nicely.

NEXT LEGISLATIVE SESSION IS TO BE VERY IMPORTANT

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sessions in their recent meeting at San Antonio went on record as favoring a state equalization board.

Saturday their committee was in Austin to confer with Governor Hobby on the matter, but they chief executive was sick and could not see them.

However, a bill meeting their wants will be introduced and may become a law.

And there will probably be 500 other bills that will keep the legislature busy every minute of a long and useful session.

A couple of fights for seats in that body will enliven the first few days—one in the senate and one in the house.

Also there is in sight a pretty little wrangle over the chief clerkship of the house, a job sometime held by one Bob Barker.

Mr. Barker announced at the Waco convention that he was promised enough votes to re-elect him chief clerk, but there are any number of prohibitionists in the lower house who

declare he shall never again get the job.

And this short list contains by no means all the attractions that are to be presented by the Texas Legislature in the next session.

SLIDE COMMUNITY SCHOOL NOTES

School opened Monday Dec. 30th. It was closed two weeks on account of the flu and one week for Christmas. Most of the pupils have returned and all report a most pleasant Christmas considering the weather.

Our attendance is some better in school this week than it was last but we are still urging the people to send the children to school. While there is still some snow on the ground and they may get their feet wet, it will not hurt old "Beck" and "Dad" to bring them over to school a few mornings.

We shall start our social center again just as soon as the weather and the flu will permit.

If we are to conserve on meat during 1919, suppose we begin by dispensing with pork barrel legislation.

NEWS OF THE PAST WEEK AT WOODROW

Show, snow, snow, is the general topic now, everybody is greatly elated over the fine season we have.

A nice crowd was out at Sunday school Sunday morning and a glorious time was reported.

Geo. Eubanks was in Lubbock in his "Ford" Monday and reported a very bad road.

Mrs. Harry Boone who has been spending the cold weather days with her mother, Mrs. J. W. F. Bevers returned home a few days ago.

A. V. McCarty and Isaac Gill was seen on the streets of Lubbock buying oil stock last Tuesday; also Mr. Lancaster was giving us a lot of "hot air" at Sunday school about his great possessions in the Bar-burnet oil fields.

Mr. Marcey was seen going to town Tuesday with a hunk of beef in his car.

Miss Beulah Evans returned Sunday from various points, where she had spent her Christmas vacation and reported a most excellent time and opened school at the usual hour on Monday morning.

Monday morning. Mr. G. B. Eubanks and family are preparing for a flying trip to Ford county in their car as soon as the roads get better.

LUBBOCK HEADQUARTERS DISTRICT 2, W. T. C. OF C.

Lubbock Avalanche. Lubbock, Texas.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS.—Organization of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be carried out through headquarters to be established in ten West Texas cities. Lubbock will be headquarters for District No. 2.

Geo. W. Briggs will be manager for the District and will appoint County Managers in each of the fifteen counties included in the District. A District meeting will be held in Lubbock January 30th.

Counties included in the Lubbock District are: Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Crosby, Lubbock, Hockley, Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Dawson and Gaines. Plans for the work were outlined at a conference here Thursday.

STATE TREASURER BAKER NAME OFFICE PERSONNEL

Austin, Texas, Jan., 7th—State Treasurer-Elect John W. Baker announced today that he would qualify and take the oath of office on January 15th. He also announced the following appointments of his office force: Lon D. Morgan of Tarrant County, chief clerk; G. N. Halton of Limestone County, chief bookkeeper; W. C. Clark of Travis County, and Houston Terrell of McLennan County assistant bookkeepers; Miss Elaine Cone of Milam County, appropriation bookkeeper; Mrs. Jeff Irvin of Anderson County, assistant appropriation bookkeeper; Jeff Reese of Coleman County, assistant clerical help; A. N. Boyd of Robertson County and Alton Abbott of Randall County, night watchmen; Bust Anderson, negro, Travis County, porter.

Will Ross and wife came in this week. They will farm this year and we wish them every success. The Avalanche joins their many friends in bidding them welcome back to the best country in the world.

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